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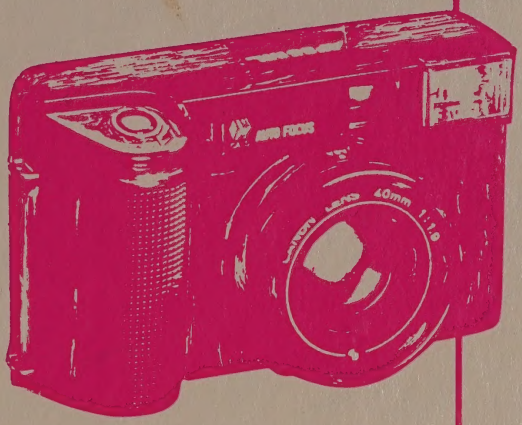

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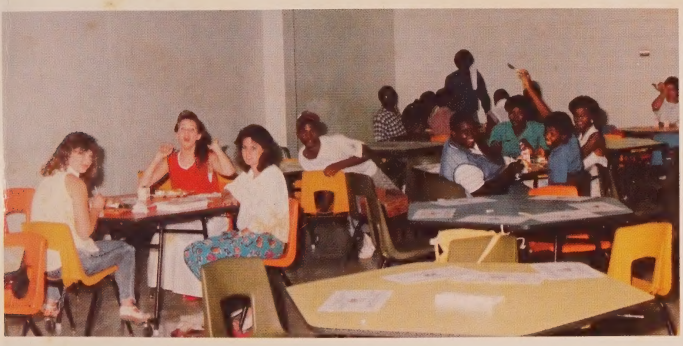

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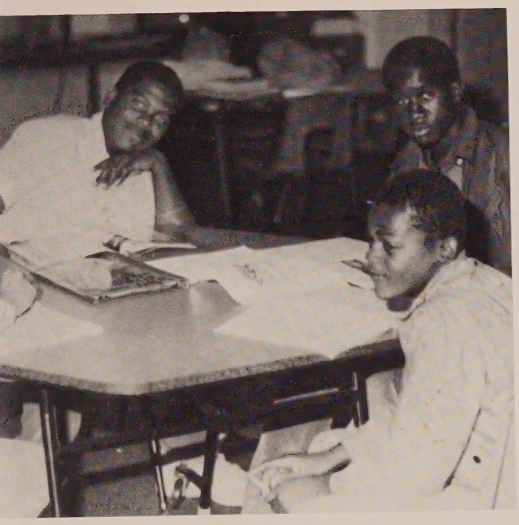
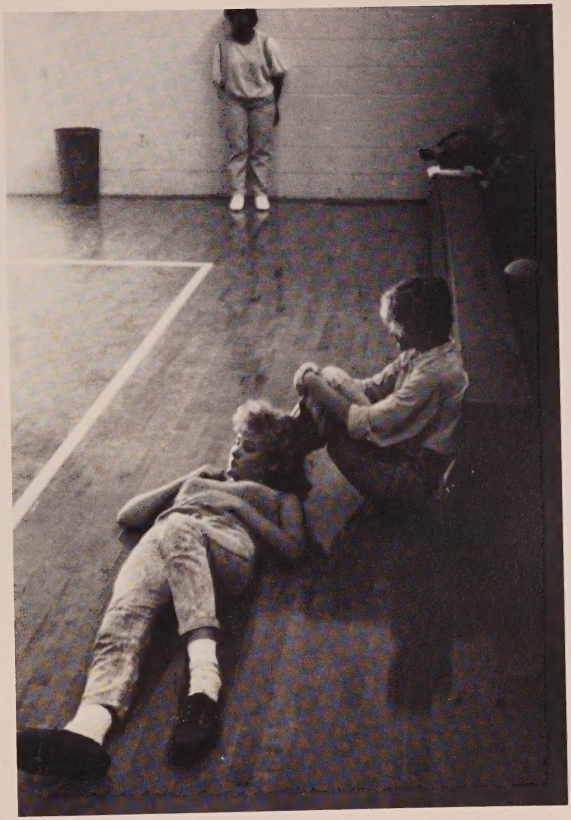
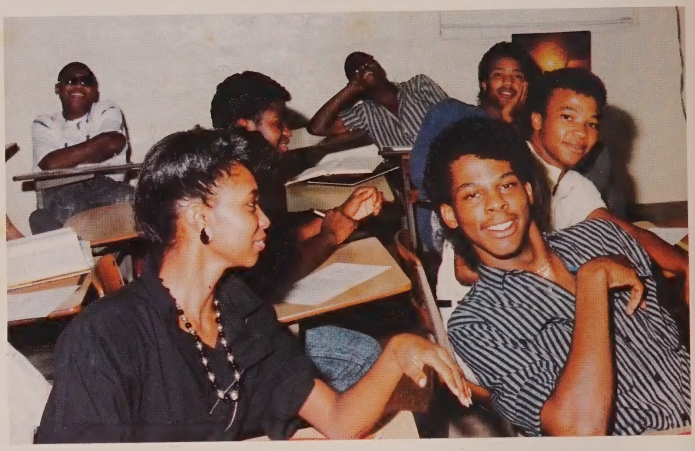




VHS STUDENTS

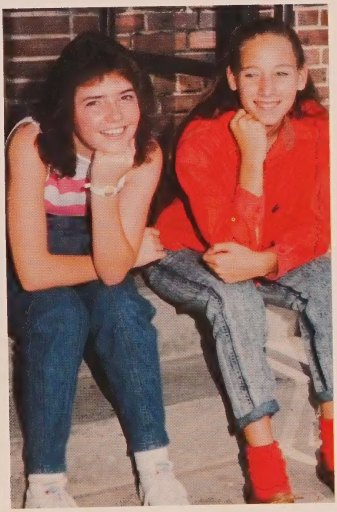
To the right: Can you picture these students actually working? Below: Jennifer, don't you know gum chewing is against school rules? Center: Vernon students are "high and dry" with newly covered walkways.



Billy awaits the end of school.

Above: Freshman Janine Miles seems to enjoy being the center of attention. Right: Senior Cindy Locke says there's no turning back now.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT



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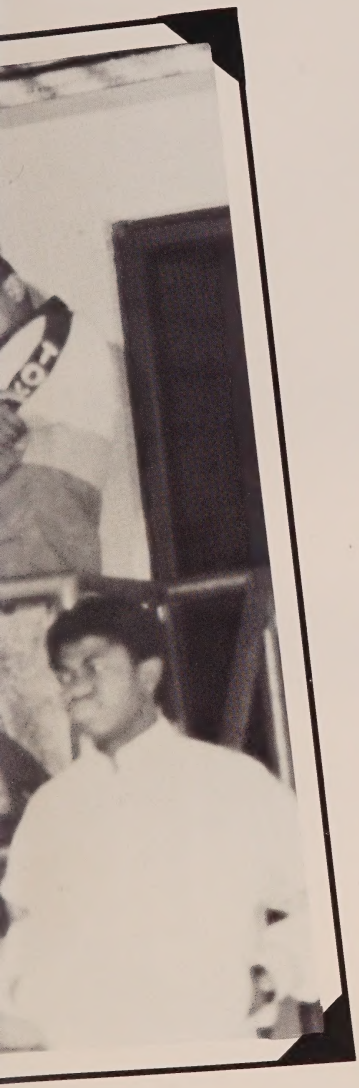


SENIORS

1988

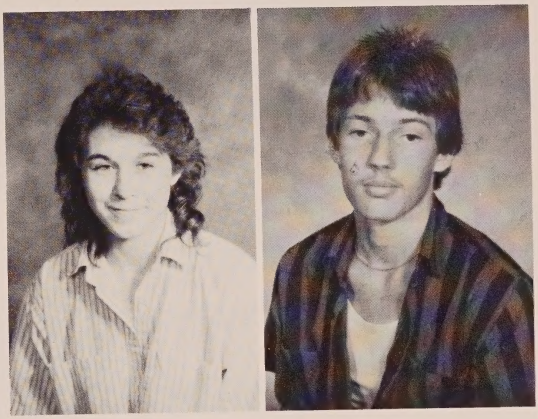
CLASS OF 1988

Karen Broxton — Pres.
Kathleen Mclean — Vice-Pres.
Laura Alford — Sec./Treas.
Lena Andrews
Pat Andrews
Scott Armstrong
James Bell
Billy Bishop
Cynthia Bland
Aubrey Blount
Wendy Boggs
Jackie Brown
Michael Brown
Robin Brown
DeWayne Broxton
Kenneth Bruner
Regina Burch
Steven Carter
Frank Cianelli
Vickie Cook
Mark Crawford
Bert Cross
Neil Denton
Tammy Dorsey
Tina Eaton
Vernesa Edwards
Melissa Ferguson
Debbie Fry
Cheryl Fuller
Brent Galloway
Michael Gilley
Toni Guy
Jason Haddock
Brad Hall
Evelyn Hammock
Howard Helms
Gary Hewett
Nancy Hockman
Zerry Hogan
Renna Hogans
Jimmy Ingram
Angie Knight
Linda Lewis
Cindy Locke
Dennis Locke
Rachel Main
Laura Maxwell
Eric McDonald
Larry Miles
Scott Miller
Penny Miner
Frankie Morrell
Calvin Oliver
Scott Owens
Channel Padgett
Boris Peterson
Jennifer Peterson
Richard Peterson
Lynne Pippen
Red Prevatt
Stacey Redman
Tamara Register
Bill Richards
James Rittenour
Paul Roche
Richard Rogers
Sonia Sadauskas
Allen Seley
Ralph Shaffer
David Shipes
Tammy Small
Melissa Smith
David Stone
Tammy Stricklen
Eren Sullivan
Amy Tracy
Amos Troublefield
Jerry Waldron
Shedrick Walker
Stacey Wasson
Michael Watkins
Gary Watson
Tracie Weeks
Donald Wood
Gennifer Wood
Mr. Bonner — sponsor
Ms. Lloyd — sponsor
Mrs.Tharpe — sponsor
Mr. Tison — sponsor
Mrs. Whitehurst — sponsor

SPOTLIGHT ON SENIORS

Most Dependable: Jason Haddock and Kathleen Mclean.

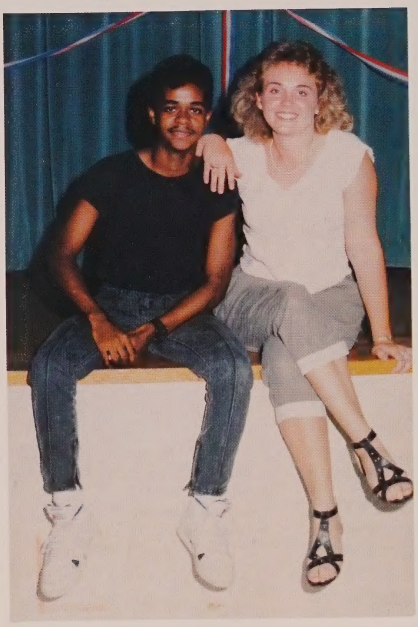
The 1987-88 senior class chose 22 of their favorite seniors as Superlatives. There were eleven different categories in which one boy and one girl were chosen for each title.



Most Athletic: Laura Alford and Brad Hall.

Best Dressed: Frank Cianelli and Robin Brown.

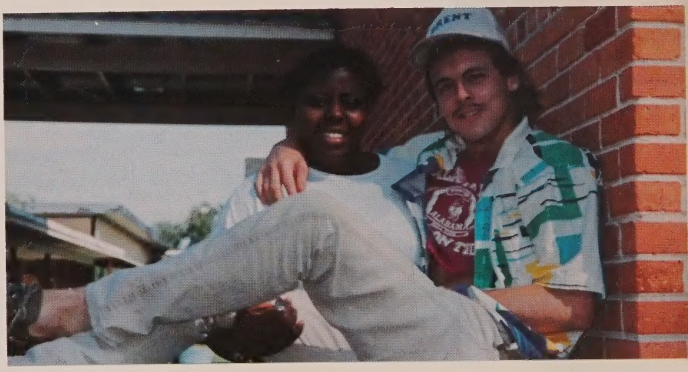
SENIOR



Most Talented: Zerry Hogan and Amy Tracy

Most School Spirit: Pat Andrews and Jason Haddock

Most Courteous: Regina Burch and Scott Owens



Best Sense of Humor: Lena Andrews and Brent Galloway

SUPERLATIVES

Best All Around: Brad Hall and Laura Alford

Most Attractive: Kathleen McLean and Frank Cianelli

Most Likely To Succeed: Gary Hewett and Sonia Sadauskas

Best Personality: Jennifer Peterson and Dewayne Broxton

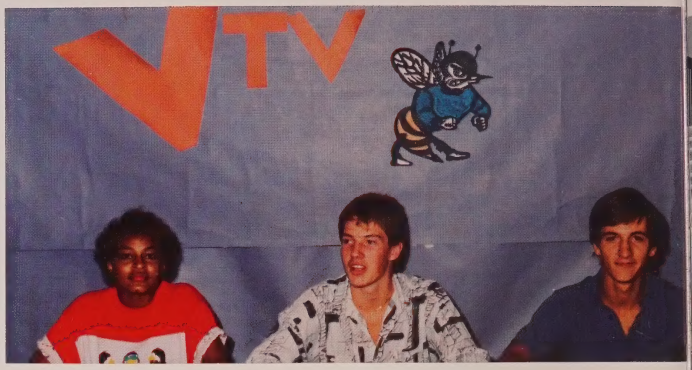
MR. AND MISS VHS

Mr. and Miss VHS are a boy and a girl nominated by the faculty and later elected by popular vote of the student body. The 1987-88 Miss VHS was Kathleen McLean. Kathleen has maintained an outstanding grade point average. She has been a three year member of FEA, serving as secretary her junior year and president her senior year; NHS vice-president her senior year; FBLA member for two years; Yearbook editor; Mu Alpha Theta member; Junior class secretary/treasurer and Senior class vice-president. Kathleen has also attended various math olympiads.

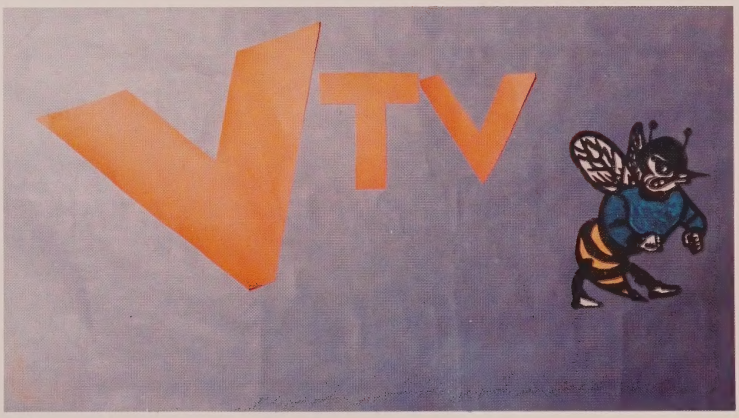
The 1987-88 Mr. VHS was Gary Hewett. Gary has maintained an outstanding grade point average. He has been a two year member of FEA, serving as chaplain his senior year, and he was also active in NHS, serving vice-president his junior year and chaplain his senior year. Gary has also attended various math competitions. Not only was Gary active in different organizations, he was also a two year member of the varsity basketball and football teams.

V-TV: MEDIA PRODUCTION

This was the first year of the media production classes. These classes were not only responsible for writing, producing, and broadcasting the daily school news, they also served as library assistants. Mrs. Joan Ausley was in charge of these classes.



The daily news was broadcasted by the students above during the first part of second period.

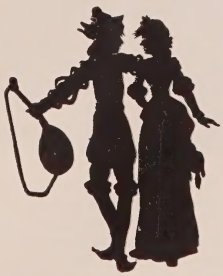


CHORUS

Chorus members are: A.Enfinger, E.Andrews, A.Knight, L.Reno, S.Vaughn, S.Brunson, S.Pettis, B.Bell, A.Rudd, M.Jenkins, B.Bright, J.Love, T.Small, E.Roche, A.Williams, J.Owens, L.Easterling, S.Birge, S.Waller, M.Haddock, R.Burch, L.Wicker, T.Burns, V.Leavins, and D.Fry.

The 1987-88 Vernon High School chorus proved once again that good can always get better. They almost doubled in size and participated in events such as the Peanut Festival and the NHS induction. The members of the chorus are very proud of their accomplishments, especially those who were in chorus the year before and were able to witness firsthand improvements.

"For a group that has a variety of music experience, from none to four or more years, this year's chorus has done a superb job. The preparation for performances takes a lot of slow and patient work; the chorus'behavior helps make this possible. If the members keep good attitudes they will improve and the numbers will grow every year." James Seaboch



SENIOR HALL

Laura Alford has been very active in sports during her high school years. She has been a member of the volleyball and basketball teams from her freshmen to her senior year. Laura was an active part of the softball team and also served as Secretary/Treasurer of the senior class.

Karen has been involved in the student council for three years, serving as the Parlimentarian; a member of F.B.L.A. for four years;and F.E.A. for three years. Karen has been Head Majorette for the past two years. Other activities included softball for one year and cheerleading. Karen is currently senior class president as well.

Mark Crawford has played a very vital role in our sports department. He has played on the football team for the past four years along with track for one year. Not only was Mark active in football, he was also a member of F.E.A. and the Paperstaff his senior year.

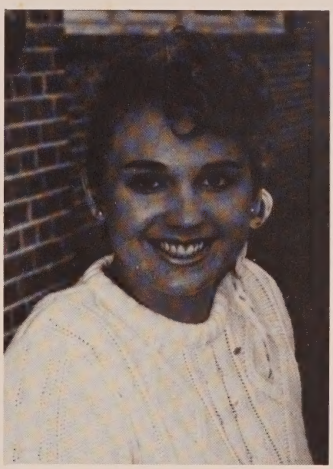
Jason Haddock was an important part of our media production class. He was very often seen behind the camera. Along with television production, Jason was a member of F.B.L.A. and was a reporter for student council. He was also a part of the Paperstaff.

OF FAME

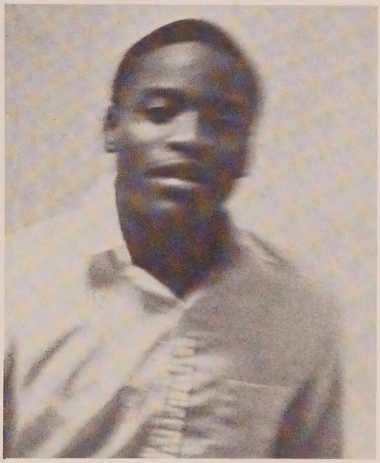
Gary Hewett helped to make a signigicant difference in various sports. He was a part of the football team in his Freshmen and Junior years and he played varsity basketball in his Sophomore through Senior years. Gary was also a member of F.E.A. and N.H.S. for two years.

Kathleen McLean has been a three-year member of F.E.A, serving as Secretary during her Junior year and President her Senior year. She has been a member of F.B.L.A, and the N.H.S. Vice-President her Senior year. Kathleen has also served as Junior class Sec./ Treas. and Senior class Vice-President. She was also the editor of the Jacket Buzz.

Penny Miner has been active in organizations and sports. She was Student Council Sec./Treas. for two years and President her Senior year. Along with Student Council, Penny was an F.B.L.A. and F.E.A. member for two years. Basketball was another part of Penny's life. She played B-team for two years and varsity for three years.



Amy Tracy has been a band member for three years. She also was an important part of F.F.A., serving as President her Freshman and Senior years and Secretary her Sophomore and Junior years. She was co-captain of the color guard her Junior year and captain during her Senior year. Amy was also a district winner of the Voice of Democracy contest.



Amos Troublefield has been a member of various clubs and organizations. He is the President of N.H.S.,Vice-President of F.E.A., and a member of F.B.L.A. and Student Council. Amos played varsity basketball from his Freshmen through Junior years. He also served as Junior class Vice-President.

HOMECOMING QUEEN

Penny Miner was elected 1987-88 Homecoming Queen. She was escorted by her father, Cecil. Penny was nominated by Mike Watkins.

The first runner-up was Robin Brown, escorted by her father, Huelan. Robin was nominated by Michael Gilley.

The second runner-up was Jennifer Peterson. She was escorted by Paul Brantley and was nominated by Michael Brown.

Laura Alford was escorted by her father, Mac. She was nominated by Mark Crawford.

Karen Broxton was escorted by her father, Curtis. She was nominated by James Bell.

Debbie Fry was escorted by her father, Kenneth, and was nominated by Neil Denton.

Toni Guy was escorted by her father, James. She was nominated by Jimmy Ingram.

Angela Knight was escorted by her father, Teddy. She was nominated by Scott Miller.

Cindy Locke was escorted by her father, Walter, and was nominated by Howard Helms.

Kathleen Mclean was escorted by her father, Joe. She was nominated by Frankie Morrell.

A WEEK OF

Each year student council elects a committee to plan a week of different events during homecoming. This tradition is known as Spirit Week. This year on November 2-6, 1987, the week's activities included:

Monday — Childhood Day. Students were asked to dress like a child.

Tuesday — Collegiate Day. Students were to advertise their favorite college.

Wednesday — Day in the Shade. Students were allowed to wear sunglasses to school.

Thursday — Hee-Haw Day. Students dressed like farmers and cowboys.

Friday — Orange and Blue Day. Students wore the school colors of orange and blue.

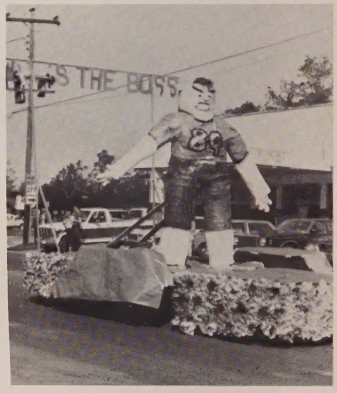
Each student who dressed up received one point for their grade level toward the spirit stick. There were also many contests in which students were allowed to compete.

SPIRIT

Among the different contests were a Jello eating contest. Michael Birge took first place,and Zack Dixon was second place. During the pep rally Homecoming Day there was a spirit competition between the grade levels, which the class of '90 won.

HOMECOMING

The spirit stick measures the amount of spirit each class has, the winner being the class with the most spirit. Although competition was close this year, the senior class of 1988 became the winners. The contest also involved having a float in the parade. After working hard all day, a group of judges rated the floats on a number of different items.



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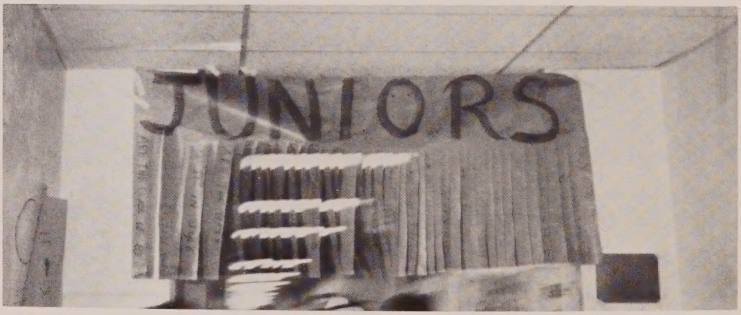
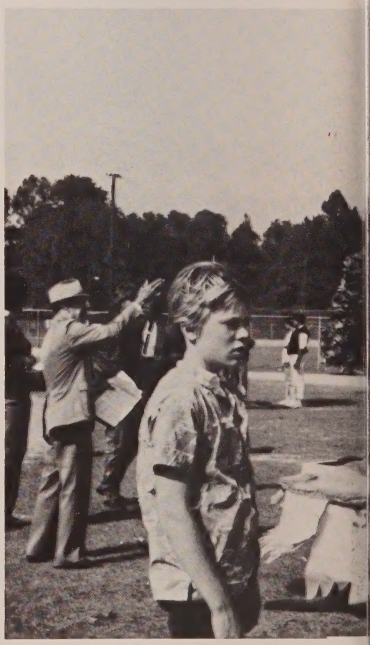
In the classes division — first place was the sophomores with the theme of "Alf", second place were the seniors with "Head of the Class". Third place freshmen had the "Houston Knights" theme, and the Junior's theme was "Who's the Boss." In the club division — FFA won first place with "M.A.S.H." as their theme, and the student council came in second with "Sledgehammer."

FOCUSING ON . . .

Kim Ellis — Homecoming Queen '86-'87

Students became excited about sign construction. The main hall of the school was covered with class signs and homecoming queen nominees' campaign posters. It was exciting to see what new and creative sign would pop up next.





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VERNON HIGH BAND

Band members are: Drum Major — Ella Mae Andrews; Flutes — W.Jenkins, S.Edenfield, T.Denton, S.Rushing; Clarinets — J.Shepard, K.Swarts, K.Turner, M.Waller; Alto Sax — P.Roche, L.Moore, B.Hagan, N.Brock; Trumpet — S.Turner, J.Biggs, M.Armstrong, M.Pate, S.Mineer, N.Wells, M.Brinegar, J.Dennis; French Horn — A.Cheverie, H.Greene; Trombone — D.Bouton, R.Burch; Tener Sax and Baritone — R.Shaffer, T.Dorsey; Tuba — C.Burns, D.Tillis, J.Taylor; Percussion — D.Shipes, A.Hagan, J.Hogue, G.Hutchins, A.Morris, M.Haines, B.Yarbor.

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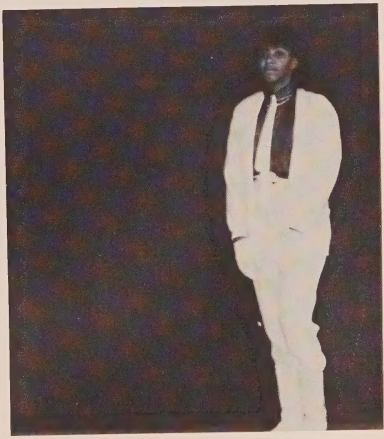
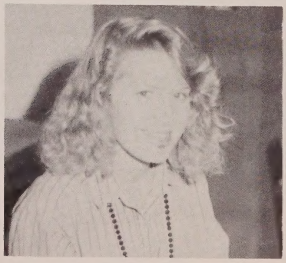


JACKET BUZZ

In her first year at VHS (as a teacher that is) Miss Sally Land is our new yearbook sponsor.

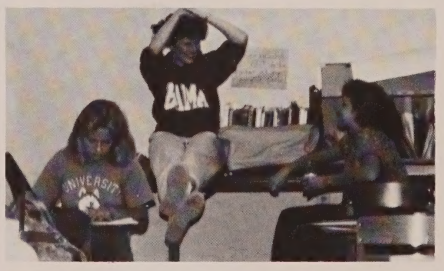
Senior, Regina Burch has the section anyone would kill for.(?) Faculty, of course.

Sophomore, Trisha McLean is "organizing" the club section for the Jacket Buzz.



Trisha, Angie, and Kathleen pose after a hard day's work on yearbook.

Above: Again, we see our dedicated yearbook students concentrating on their work. Below: I wonder, do they ever quit working?



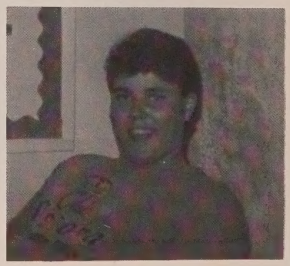
Junior, Amy Enfinger has taken charge of acknowledging our underclassmen.

Junior, Steven Hodges is in the prestigious position of photographer.

Senior, Kathleen McLean is our dedicated editor in her second year on the staff.

Senior, Sonia Sadauskas is taking care of all of the finances for the Jacket Buzz in her second year.

Junior, Angie Cook is tackling the Sports section for the Jacket Buzz.



PAPERSTAFF

Being on the Paperstaff can be tough sometimes, but these students always seem to put out the most exciting and innovative issues of the Jacket Sting. They are: L to R (top row) J.Haddock, C.Bland, K. Broxton, M.Watkins. (2nd row) M.Ferguson, M. Gilley, M. Crawford, H. Helms, P.Miner. (bottom row) J. Gipson, T. Weeks, M. Perez, W.Boggs, P.Reed, T. Edwards, Z. Hogans.

The four co-editors of The Jacket Sting are L to R. — Tracie Weeks, Penny Miner, Karen Broxton, and Mike Watkins.

Yeah, there they are working on those innovative issues.

STUDENT COUNCIL

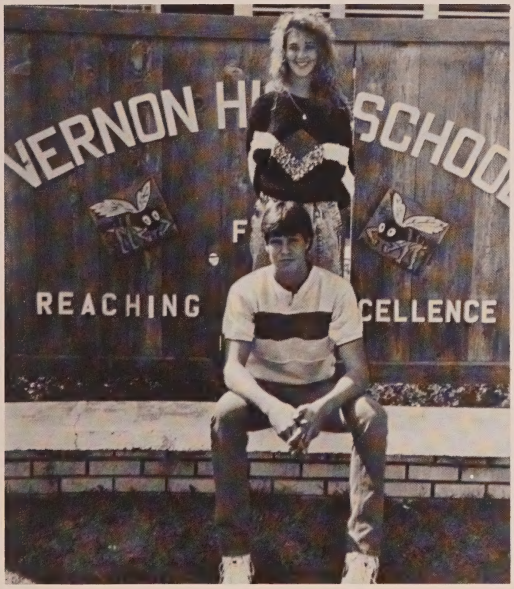
The following students have shown tremendous leadership abilities in the student council. They are: S.Conner, A.Cook, P.Miller, K.Stufflestreet, D. Bouton, J.Jackson, J.Ingram, J.Haddock, sponsor — B. Pennington, A. Troublefield, S.Hogans, T. Jackson, K. Broxton, R. Stone, J.Holley, T. Harrison, E. Andrews, P. Miner, A. Hagan, M. Satterfield, A. Shipes, R. Brown, T. McLean, K. McLean, K.Land, S. Smith.

This year's officers are: President — Penny Miner, Vice-President — Michelle Satterfield, Secretary/Treasurer — Holli Mitchell and Historian — Robin Brown.

CLASS FAVORITES

Class favorites are one boy and one girl from each grade that are considered, by their classmates, fun to be around. They are elected by classmates from their respective grade level.

To the left: Senior class favorites — Robin Brown and Brent Galloway.



Above: Junior class favorites — April Shipes
Jerry Gipson

THE PEOPLE'S

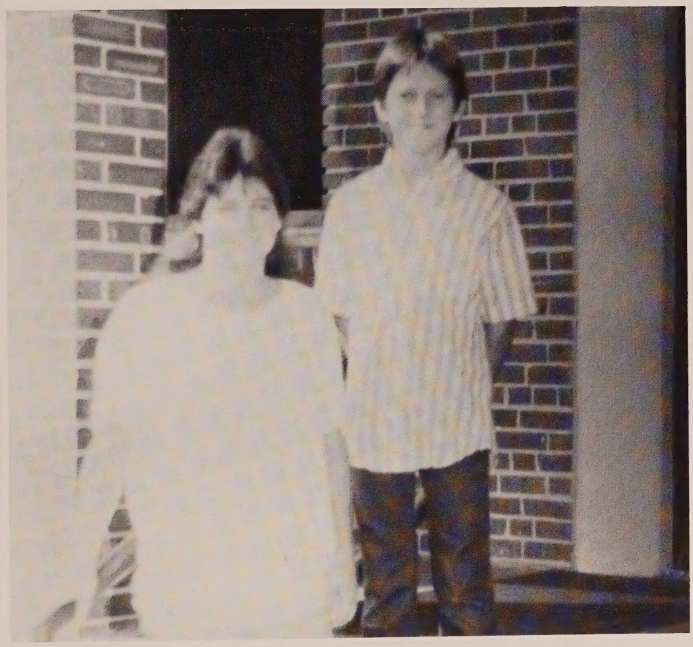
Sophomore Class Favorites

H. Mitchell
K. Stufflestreet

Freshmen Class Favorites

L. Easterling
S. Birge

CHOICE



Eighth Grade Class Favorites

N. Alford
J. Rudd

Seventh Grade Class Favorites

J. Spence
K. White

CLASS

Each year one girl is elected from grades seventh to eleventh and two girls from the senior class as their class beauty. Four girls are nominated from each grade, then their pictures are sent to an unbiased judge who chooses the class beauty.

The senior class beauties are: To the right Karen Broxton and below Robin Brown.

Seniors

BEAUTIES

Junior Class Beauty: Melissa Hagan

Juniors

Sophomore Class Beauty Jennifer Kerr

Sophomores

MORE BEAUTIES!!!

Freshmen
Class
Beauty

Lynn Easterling

Eighth Grade
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Tasha Peterson

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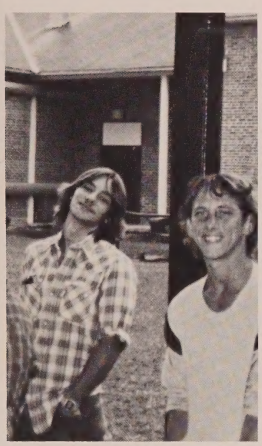
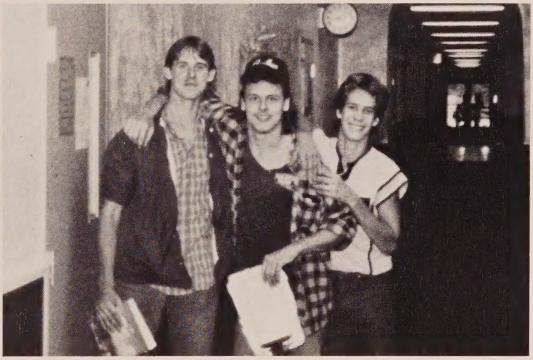
SMILE . . . IT'S CANDID CAMERA



Did you ever hear the phrase "smile you're on candid camera?" Well I think these groups of people have heard it quite often. Since they were always posing for our photographer, I decided to put them on their own page. They sure are hamming it up, aren't they?



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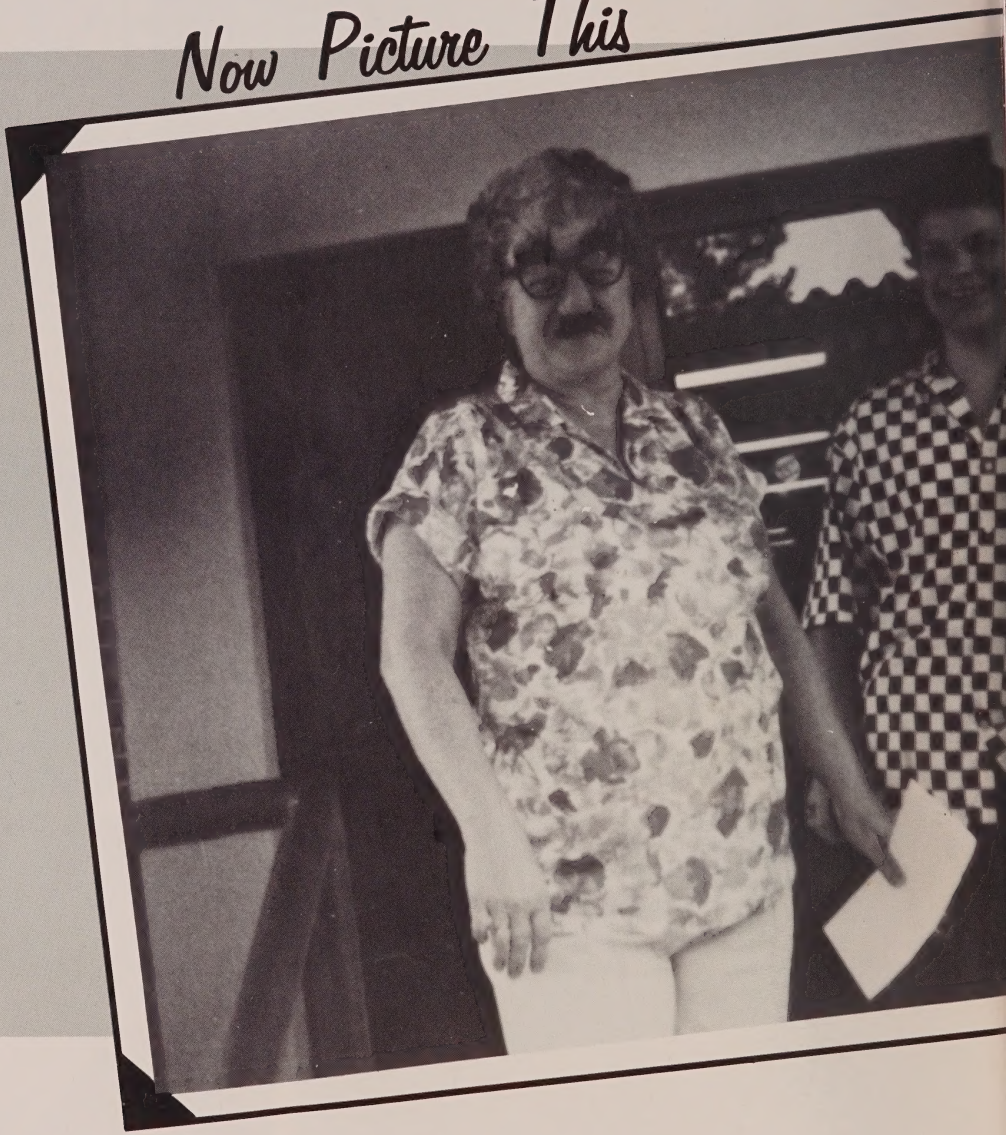
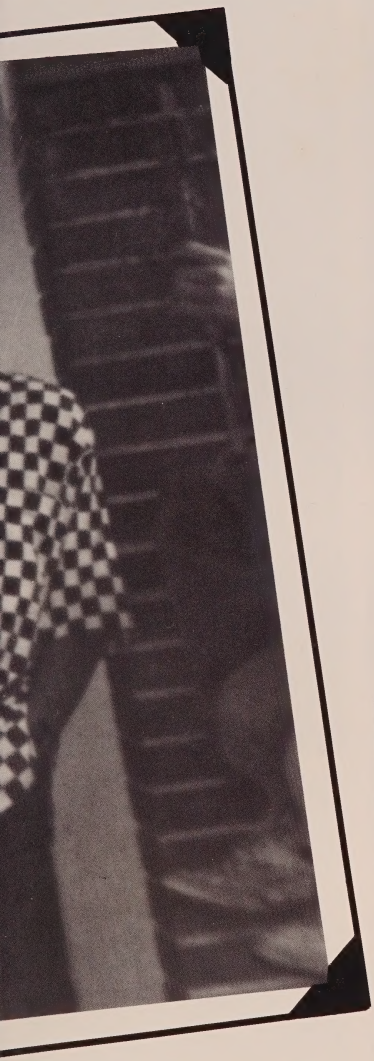
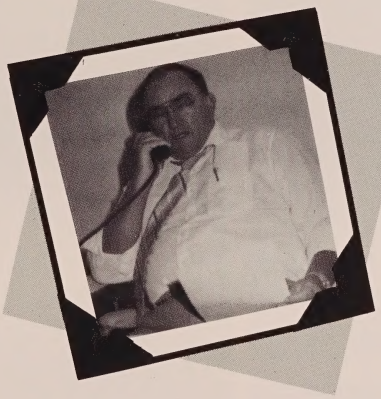
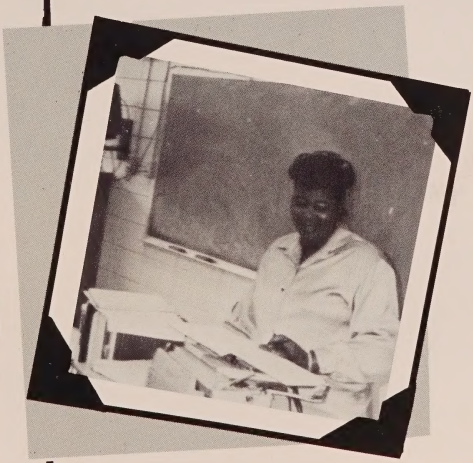


ACADEMICS

The success of all students depends upon the level of teaching and their interest in the subject taught. This year at Vernon our administration and faculty have given their all to make school a place to learn but also to have fun. The following pages will reveal the true character of our teachers and their involvement during this school year.





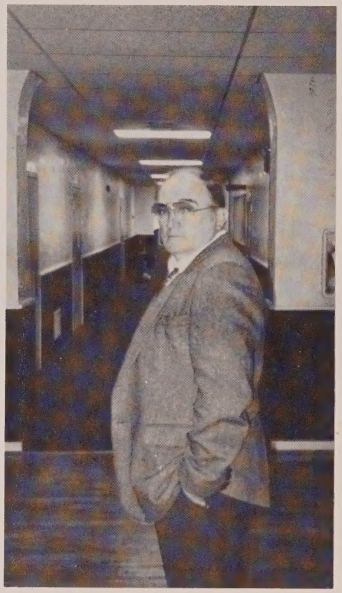


THOSE WHO BRING ORGANIZATION

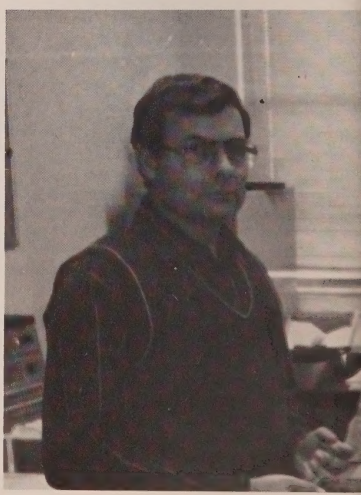
Mrs. Margery Helms has been employed at Vernon for 7 years. Mrs. Helms diligently completes the small tasks that keeps our educations organized.

Mrs. M.E. Adkinson has been a secretary at Vernon High School for 10 years. We appreciate her helpfulness as a member of our High School administration.

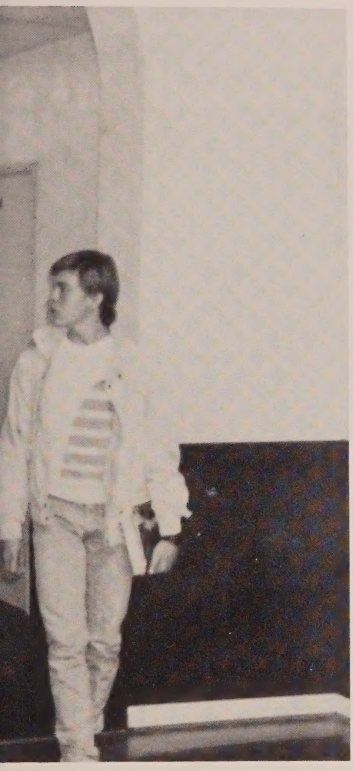
Mr. Jerry Tyre has served as principal at Vernon High for 11 years. Mr. Tyre's many years of experience in teaching and in governing at Vernon helps him today as he makes decisions that affect us all. We appreciate his patience and concern for our educations.



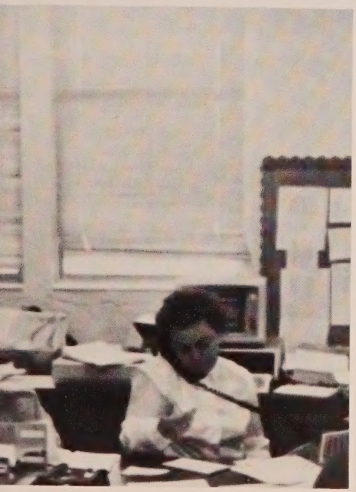
Mr. Howard Riley has been a member of the Vernon Staff and administration for the past 13 years. In his role of Vice-Principal he has obtained respect through cooperation with students and parents and makes high school an easy transition.



INTO OUR EDUCATION



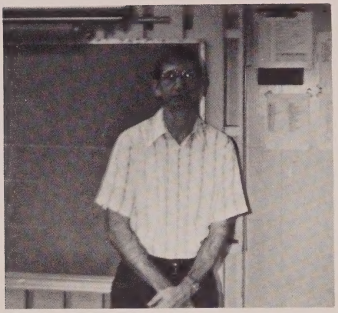
The faces you see on these pages are members of the Vernon High School Administration. Their jobs are to guide us, to discipline, and to record our accomplishments. They work toward the good of all the students at Vernon and are examples for us all. We, the students appreciate your concern in developing our futures.



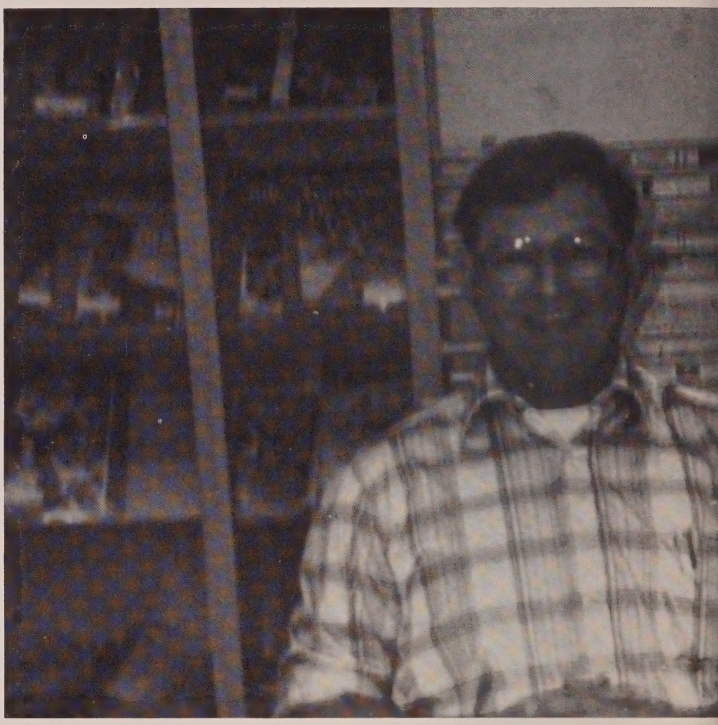
Mrs. Carol Ard has faithfully served as guidance counselor at Vernon for 8 years. She has earned her title through guiding our past and present graduating Seniors and encouraging underclassmen.

Mrs. Joyce Dorch has been employed as bookkeeper at Vernon for the past 12 years. We appreciate the work she does and her kind attitude.

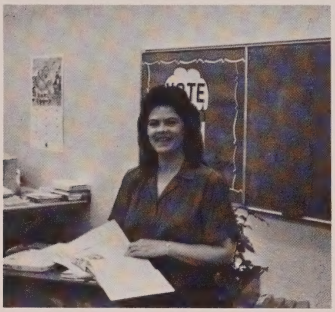
WHAT HAS 39 HEADS AND WEIGHS 3,940 POUNDS?



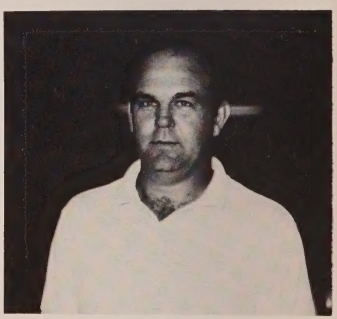
Mr. Eddie Adams has taught at VHS for 12 years and currently teaches three courses. These courses are World History, American History, and Art.



Mr. Patterson proudly displays his pearly whites.



Mrs. Peggy Adams is a VMS teacher who is a 12 year veteran of Vernon. She teaches eighth grade Social Studies.

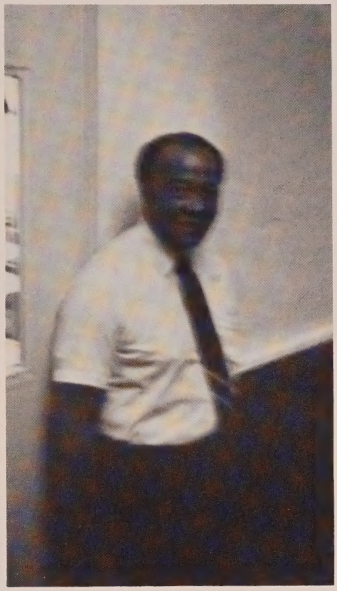


Mr. Mac Alford teaches physical education at VMS and is involved in coaching various sports at Vernon. Coach Alford is completing his 16th year at Vernon.

THE VHS AND VMS FACULTY!!!

"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops."

Henry Brooks Adams

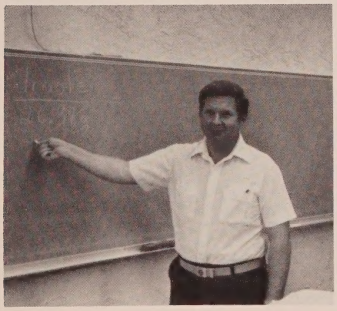


"The ideal condition would be, I admit, that men should be right by instinct; But since we are all likely to go astray; The reasonable thing is to learn from those who can teach."

Sophocles

Mr. Mark Allen teaches Physical Science and World History at VHS. He is completing his first year at Vernon. Coach Allen also is an assistant coach for the varsity football team.

Mr. Merle Bonner has taught at Vernon for the past 2 years and also plays an important part on our coaching staff. Coach Bonner teaches American History, World History, and Government.

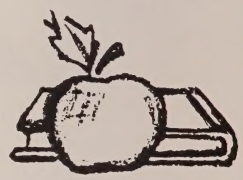


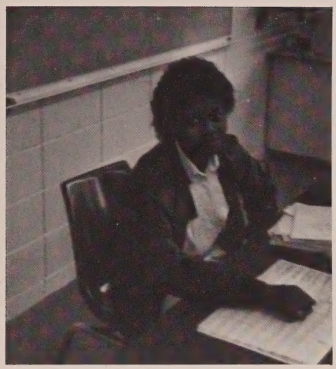
Mr. Micheal Brock has been at Vernon for the past 15 years and teaches advanced science courses. These include General Science, Biology, Chemistry, and Physics.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

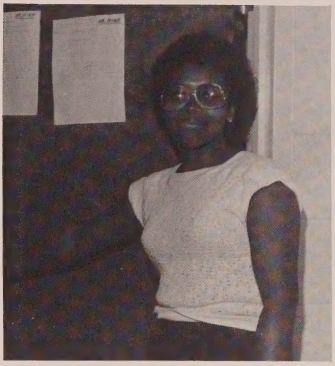
Mrs. McCrary, Mrs. Cook, and Mrs. Tison have worked as the VMS Administration since it began 2 years ago. Their influence on young teenagers will set the pace for their education as they move on to high school.

Left: Mrs. Ruth McCrary; Bottom Left: Mrs. WillieMae Cook; Bottom Right: Mrs. Judy Tison.





Miss Bobbie Brown has taught at Vernon High for the past 4 years. Miss Brown teaches Typing I, Business Computer, is the advisor of The Jacket Sting, and also teaches middle school Pre-Voc.

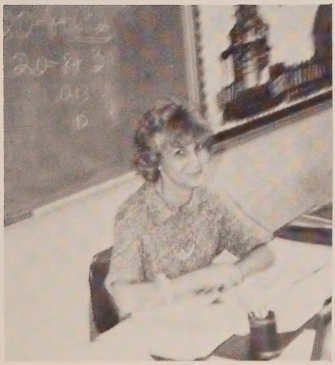


Mrs. Pricilla Brown has taught at Vernon for the past 7 years. She now teaches physical education at Vernon Middle School.

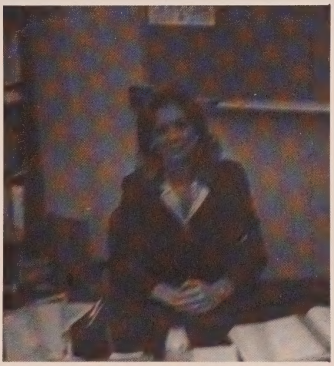
Miss Mary Cholerton is a 15 year veteran of Vernon High School. She now teaches Language Arts at Vernon Middle School.

SPOTLIGHT

Mrs. Joan Ausley and Mrs. Shirley Haviland have been chosen for our teacher spotlight. They have both been very active in the first year of the Vernon Broadcast. We thank them for sponsoring the newest bright spot in our school.



Mrs. Freida Cook has taught at Vernon for the past 13 years. She is now teaching 7th Grade mathematics.

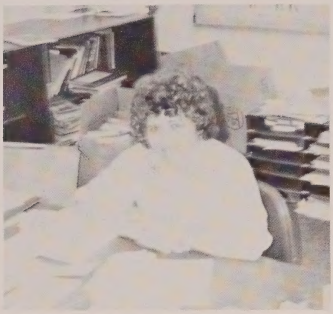


Mrs. Sandra Cook has taught at Vernon for the past 7 years. She now teaches Consumer Math, Math I, Pre-Algebra, and is the sponsor of the cheerleading squad.

Mrs. Davis has been a one-half year substitute for Mrs. Linda Tyre. Mrs. Davis taught Language Arts, math and reading.

EVERYONE NEEDS SOMEBODY

TO LOOK UP TO



Mrs. Janice Graves has taught at VMS for the past 2 years. She is an eighth grade math teacher and her courses include Pre-Algebra, Algebra I, and Chapter I Math.

Mrs. Barbara Howell is a 16 year veteran of Vernon High teaching advanced math courses. These include Math II, Pre-Algebra, Algebra II, Trigonometry, and Calculus.

Miss Sally Land is completing her first year of teaching at VHS. Miss Land teaches English III and is the Jacket Buzz advisor.

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE IF YOU WERE NOT A TEACHER?

Mrs. Graves — social worker or an accountant

Miss Land — work with handicapped children

Mr. Patterson — bird dog trainer or professional hunter

Mrs. Shores — nurse (If I could stand the blood)

Mrs. Adams — doctor

Mr. Brock — rancher with lots of cows

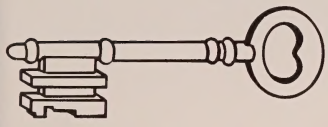
Mr. Primm — professional traveler

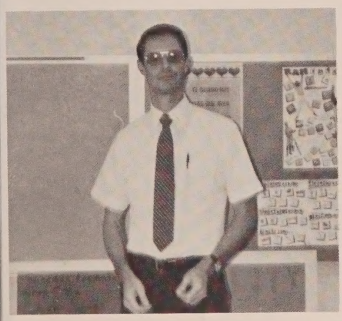
Mrs. Howell — "I'm doing what I want to do, teach."

Mrs. Judy Laxton is completing her first year at Vernon. She works as a teacher's aid at Vernon Middle School.

Miss Debbie Lloyd is a 13 year veteran of Vernon High School. She teaches Geometry, Computer Programming, Algebra I, and Liberal Arts Mathematics.

Mr. Greg Patterson has taught at Vernon for the past 10 years. He teaches English II.





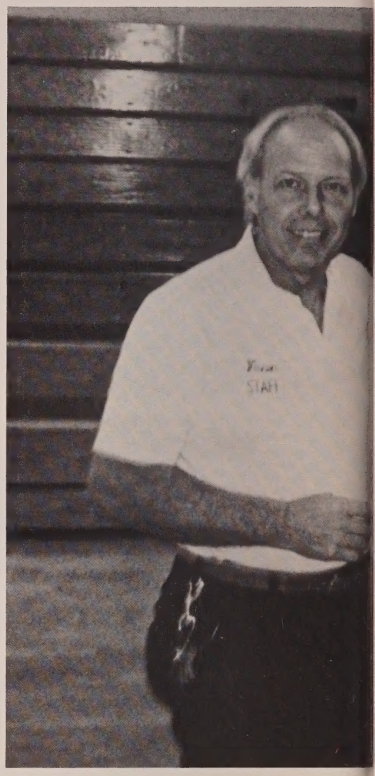
Mr. Buddy Pennington is in his second year of teaching at Vernon. His courses include Spanish I & II, Drama, Humanities and English IV.

Mrs. Ivonne Piercy has taught at Vernon for 2 years. She teaches girl's physical education and is also active on our coaching staff.

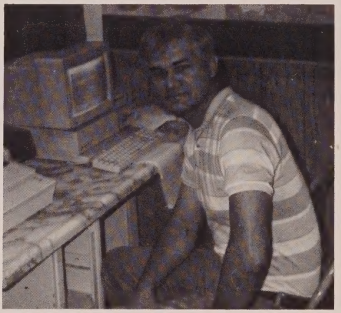
THEY'RE SHAPING THE MINDS

Mrs. Linda Faison has taught at Vernon for many years. She teaches High School and Middle School English and the LD classes.

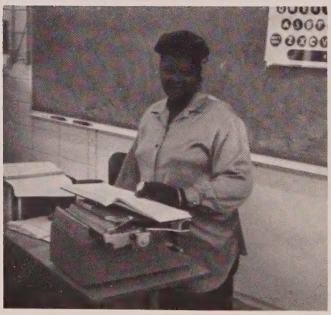
Mrs. Rubye Foerhand is a veteran teacher of Vernon. Her courses include English IV AP, English IV and is our TAPS Advisor.



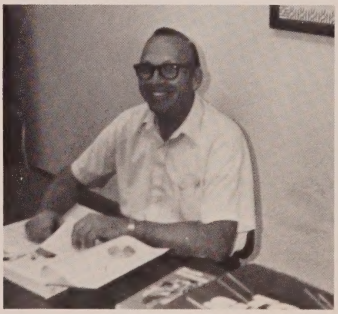
Mrs. Norma Frost has worked at Vernon for 11 years. She is a teacher's aid at Vernon High School. Mrs. Frost is also the cheerleading squad sponsor.



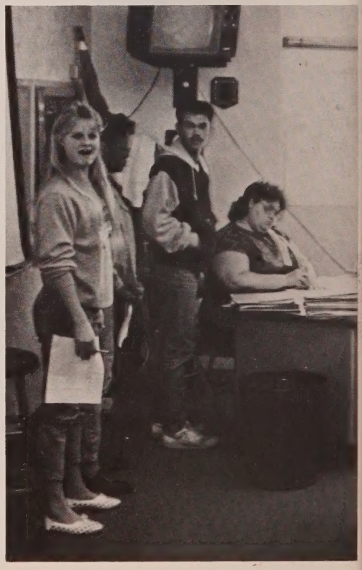
Mr. Larry Pippen has taught for many years at Vernon High. He now teaches special education students.



Mrs. Hazel Pittman has taught at Vernon for 9 years. She teaches Typing I * II, Notetaking, and Middle School Pre-Voc.



Mr. Tom Primm is a 16 year veteran of Vernon High. He now teaches Social Studies at Vernon Middle School.



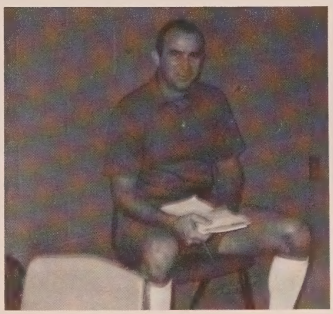
OF TODAY'S YOUTH

Mrs. Wanda Sapp has taught at Vernon High School for the past 6 years. She teaches Home Economics, Foods, LMS, and Middle School Pre-Voc.

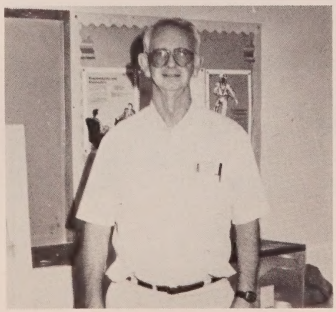
Mrs. Gail Seaboch is in her second year at Vernon. She now teaches alternative education at VHS.

Mr. James Seaboch is in his third year at VHS. His classes include Beginning Band, Advanced Band, and Chorus.

Mrs. Angela Sexton is in her first year of teaching at VHS. She teaches Biology and LMS.



Mr. Charles Sexton is completing his second year at Vernon High. He teaches boys physical education and is active on our coaching staff.



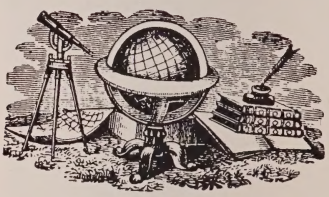
Mr. Reign Shipley is a 15 year veteran of VHS. He now teaches Science at Vernon Middle School.

Mrs. Sabra Shores has taught at VHS for 12 years. She now teaches Language Arts at Vernon Middle School.

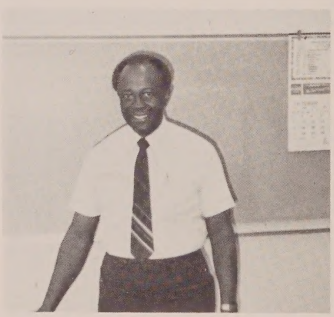
Miss Land displays her school spirit during homecoming week.

Mrs. Pat Tharpe has taught for many years at Vernon. She currently teaches special education students.

Mr. Hiram Tison has taught at Vernon for the past 5 years. His courses include Agriculture I, II and III and Middle School Pre-Voc.



Mr. Aaron Todd is a 14 year veteran of Vernon High School. His classes include Driver's Ed., Health, and P.E. He is also an active part of the coaching staff.

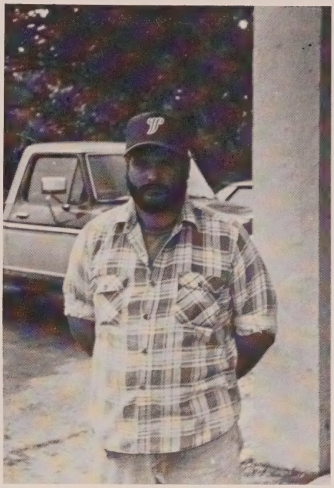


Mr. George Vann is in his second year of teaching at Vernon. He is currently teaching English I(chapter I) and English I.

Mrs. Mary Whitehurst is a 17 year veteran of VHS. Her courses include Psychology/ Law Ed., Government, Political Science, Economics, and Bookkeeping.

IN SERVICE TO OTHERS

Left to Right: Marie Register, Betty Nichols, Ellawease Potter, Eleanor Howell, Imelda Taylor, Earlene Register.



Mr. Ricky Coatney, custodian

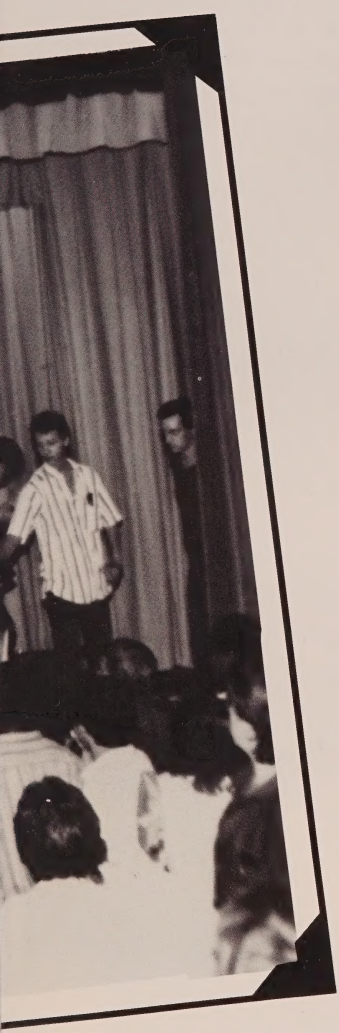
Left to Right: S. Haddock, G.Scott, F.Hutchins, D.Hall, S.Cook, E.Pettis, N.Pippen, M.Register, M.Roche, B.Haddock.

The faces you see on this page are very familiar to you. You see them every day at school and they may live in your community. Their job is to humble themselves in service to others. These workers supply our basic needs such as food, cleanliness, and transportation. Without these things an attempt to learn would be futile.

Now Picture This

ORGANIZATIONS

Organizations play an important role in our daily lives at VHS. They help to sculpt and form the path for our future endeavors. Without such organizations our students would have no outlet for creativity or leadership. So you can tell how clubs play a very important role in developing ourselves and facing us towards a bright future.

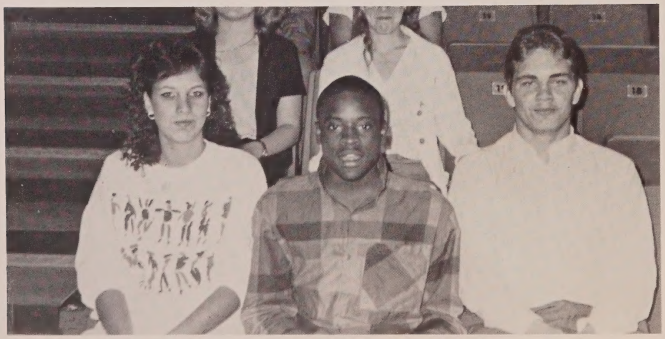


NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

NHS members are: A.Troublefield, K.McLean, P.Miner, G.Hewett, S.Sadauskas, T.McLean, P.Miller, S.Turner, and A.Enfinger.

She works herself to death.

Wonder why Amos has such a shocked look on his face?



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

This year's FHA members have performed outstandingly in representing VHS. They are: (not in order) C.Marlow, A.Morrell, T.Kent, L.Pippen, L.Rhoton, S.Boyett, T.Register, G.Hutchins, N.Hockman, C.Brock, A.Hagan, A.Walters, A.Enfinger, T.Weeks, L.Wicker, P.Perkins, M.Hogue, T.Batt, T.Holley, D.Register, J.Worthington, T.Minchew, C.Vickers, R.Strickland.

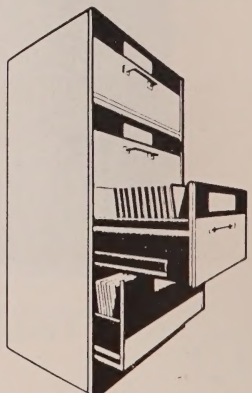
All of this year's officers have devoted much time to FHA. They are: T.Weeks, A.Walters, A.Hagan, T.Register.

F.B.L.A.

This year's FBLA members are: D.Davis, N.Kolmetz, S.Hewett, D.Bouton, M.Brown, S.Carter, J.Rittenour, J.Thompson, S.Owens, C.Worthington, J.Dennis, C.Peterson, K.Broxton, A.Troublefield, P.Miner, P.Reed, R.Brown, T.Guy, S.McKeithen, M.Coatney, M.Watkins, F.Cianelli, G.Paul, C.Carroll, M.Harcus, A.Bell, T.Broxton, S.Hogans, R.Broxton, K.McLean, W.Guy, J.Kerr, T.Thibos, T.McLean, A.Rudd, J.Owens, M.Hagan, M.Haddock.

FBLA members working on their homecoming float.

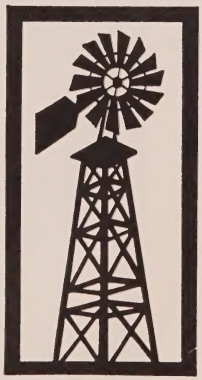
The officers of FBLA are: Pres. — Mike Watkins, V.Pres. — Trisha McLean, Sec./Treas. — Angela Bell, Historian — Kathleen McLean.



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

The FFA offices are: A.Tracy, D.Yarbor, R.Stevens, S.Lassiter, D.Stone, W.Armstrong, S.Lee.

FFA members are: K.Segers, D.Simmons, J.Spence, M.Duke, W.Collins, G.Harcus, J.Holley, D.Weeks, R.Stone, C.Seley, B.Tillis, R.Miles, C.Sherrar, C.Young, N.Wells, J.Spirito, D.Bouton, C.Tyre, C.Taylor, S.Dorsey, N.Parrish, W.Armstrong, S.Lassiter, D.Yarbor, S.Lee, C.Vaughn, J.Bradshaw, J.Coatney, J.Rudd, S.Cheverie, S.Waller, D.Stone, A.Tracy, C.Schwartz.



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Officers are: (back row) F.Cianelli, G.Hewett, A.Troublefield, M.Gilley; (front row) H.Mitchell, S.Sadauskas, K.McLean.

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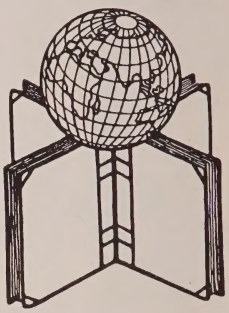
Members are: T.Kent, A.Myers, J.Coatney, W.Jenkins, M.Harcus, M.Roche, S.Hill, L.Momberger, M.Carroll, N.Sciancalapore, D.Hood, N.Haddock, T.Gilley, M.Owens, A.Alford, C.Leeman, C.Vickers.



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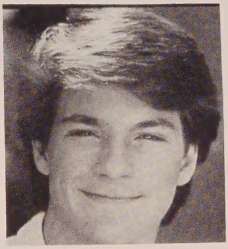

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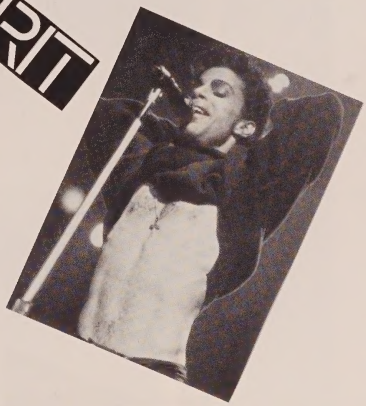

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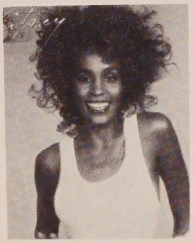

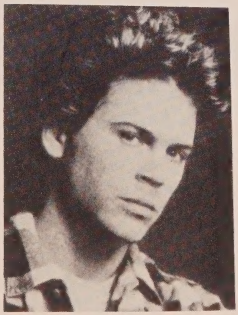

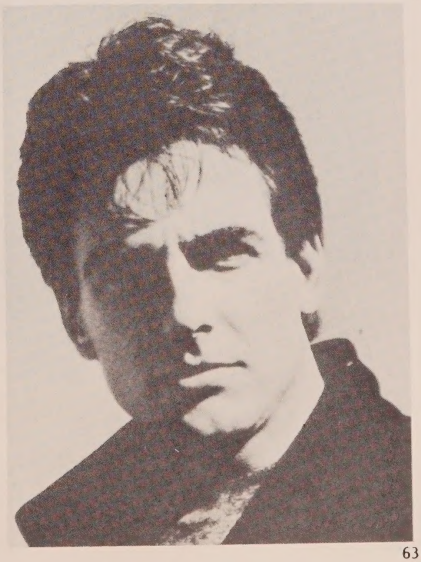

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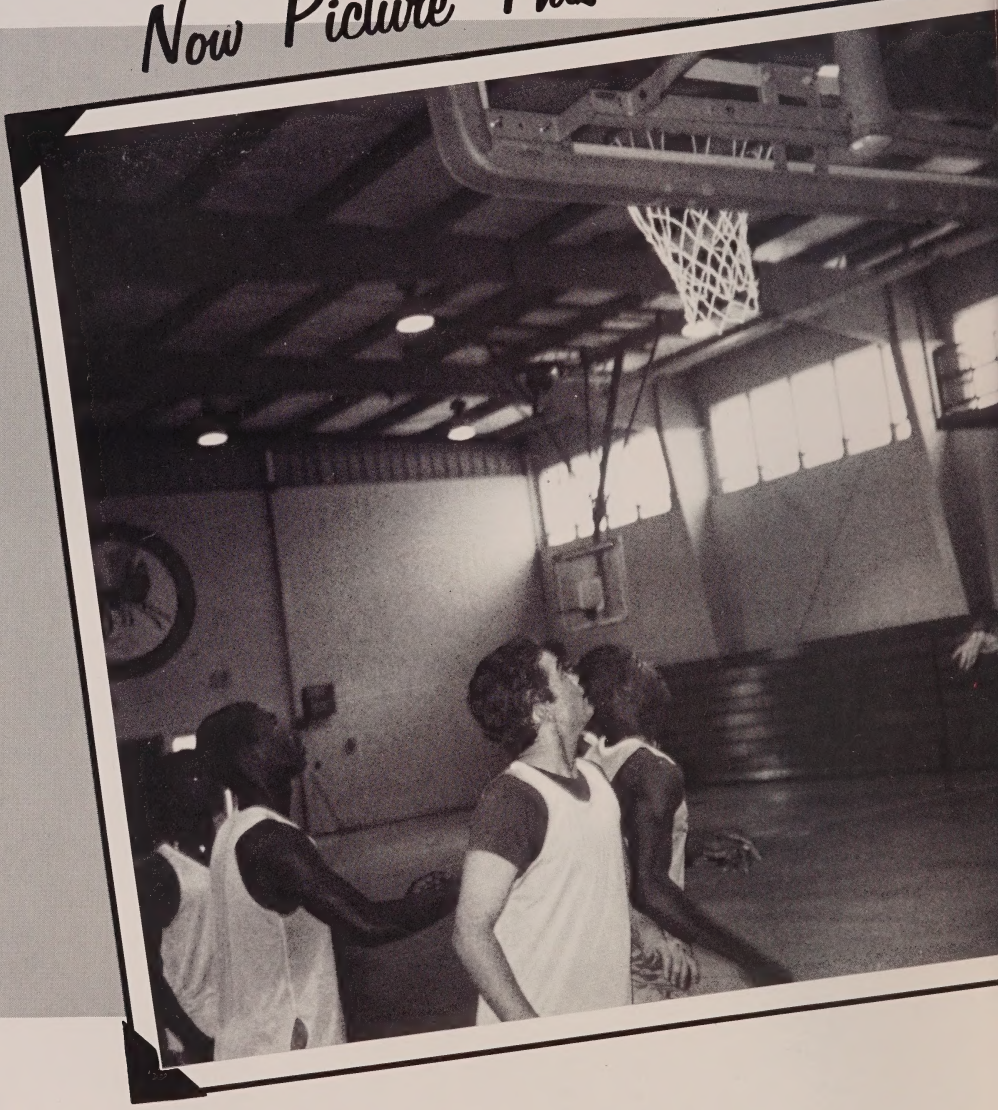


SPORTS

Striving to become "picture perfect" was the goal of each athlete at Vernon High. Although not every team had a winning season, the athletes themselves endeavored to use every ounce of talent they possesed in hopes of reaching the dream of the STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

After many strenuous workouts and long, rigorous practices the mighty Yellow Jackets were ready to bring out their best. With the thoughts of winning in their hearts and minds, this football team, along with first-year head coach, Charles Sexton, went into the 1987 season like a roaring freight train. After many frustrating losses the Yellow Jackets finally came out on top in the game against Cottondale with the score of 14-8.

QB Mike Watkins goes deep.

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE			
Sept.	11	Pensacola Catholic	H
	25	Blountstown	A
Oct.	2	Freeport	A
	9	Florida High	H
	16	Bonifay	A
	23	Dozier	H
	30	Cottondale	A
Nov.	6	Carabelle (HC)	H
	13	Chipley	H
	20	Havana	A

The offensive line shows what they are made of.

C.Owens scuffs another Carabelle Panther during the Homecoming game.

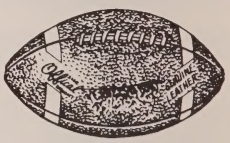
Varsity football players: L to R (back row) Coach C.Sexton, Coach A.Todd, J.Ingram, F.Morrell, S.Miller, A.Seley, M.Crawford, M.Watkins, D.Harris, D.Andrews, Coach M.Bonner, Coach G.Brock, Coach M.Allen (middle) G.Andrews, R.McKeithen, D.Yarbor, H.Helms, N.Denton, M.Gilley, C.Owens, H.Taylor, J.Garner, M.Brown, J.Bell (front) W.Rogers, D.Jackson, J.Buckley, J.Menin, A.Andrews, K.Chestnut, S.Ward, G.Cook.

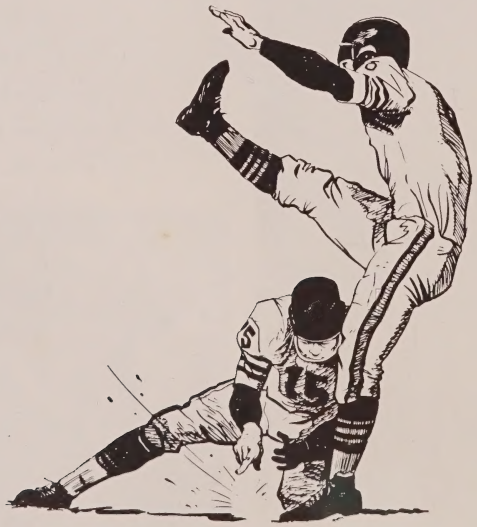
QB Mike Watkins reading the defense.

Jimmy Ingram and Michael Gilley make the tackle.

B-TEAM FOOTBALL

Members are: (back row) Kyle Chestnut, Marvin Jenkins, Daniel Jenkins, Alexis Andrews, Robert Simpson, Mark Bush (second row) Kenny Brantley, Larry Nettles, Jonny Buckley, Steven Lee, Scott Ward, Richard Finch, Bill Tope (first row) Wendell Rogers, Jim Menin, Gary Cook, Shane Waller, Steven Birge.





Learning all the fundamentals was the goal of the young Jackets. If enthusiasm won the game, they would have been way ahead of everyone. Under the excellent leadership of Coach Sexton and Coach Allen these players improved throughout the year. These athletes will give us a strong future football team and a team we can be proud of.

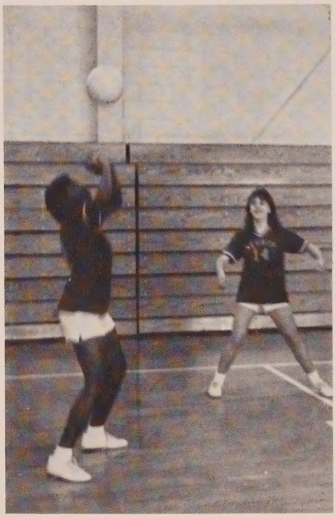
Members are: (front row) T.Burke, G.Peterson (second row) R.Broxton, P.Perkins, B.Bell (back row) C.Duty, L.Nettles, S.Brown, D.Register.

B-TEAM VOLLEYBALL

With only one returning player, team captain, Grace Peterson, this young team had to work very hard. But this hard work paid off when they beat Chipley at home this year. But even when the team experienced a loss they showed excellent teamwork. There were several outstanding players who Ms. Piercy expects to contribute greatly to the varsity next year.

B-TEAM VOLLEYBALL

Sept.	15	Marianna
	22	Chipley
Oct.	1	Bay
	8	Rutherford
	15	Chipley



Grace Peterson demonstrates her ability to set during warm-up.

Coach Ivonne Piercy instructs the team on the many standards of volleyball.

VOLLEYBALL

This year's volleyball team concentrated mainly on sets and spikes. Although the team's record was 3-7, the players and fans never gave up. The 1987 season was a rebuilding season after losing all but one starter, but the girls showed much improvement through the season. With most of the players expected to return next year, Ms. Piercy anticipates a much higher skill level for the next season.

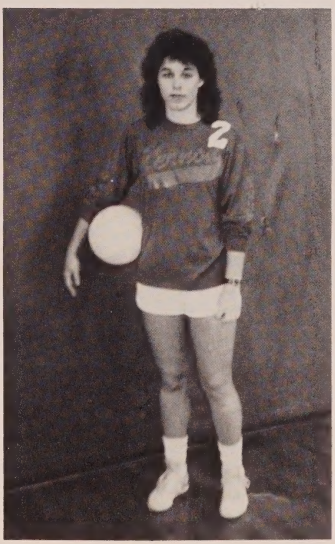
Varsity players are: L to R (front row) Coach Piercy, Tonya Davis, Laura Alford, Twan Jackson (middle row) Tiffany Smith, Tanya Galloway, Penny Scott (back row) Tammy Edwards, Carrie Walker, and Tamara Register.

Tiffany Smith backs off seeing that Tonya Davis has the ball in control.

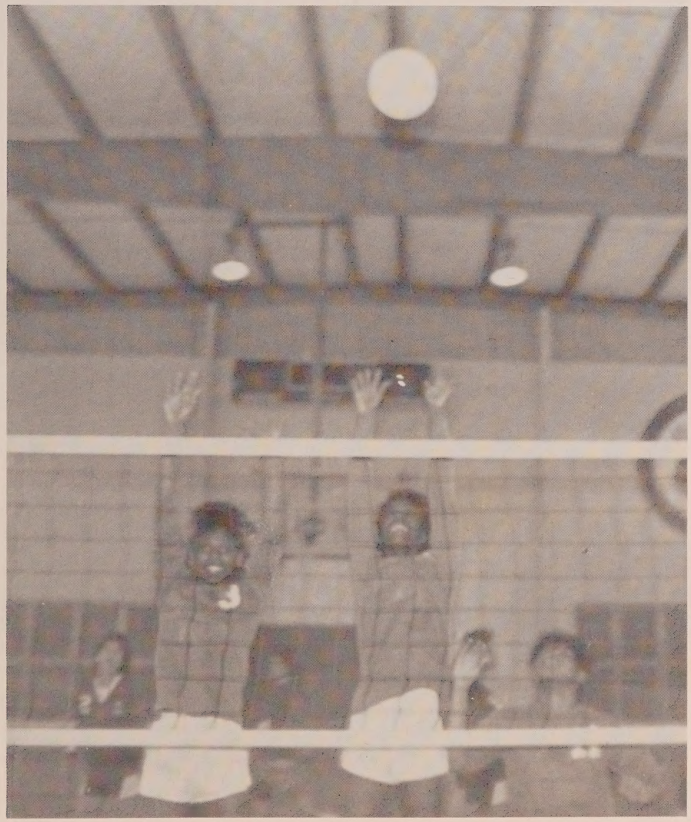
Tanya Galloway controls the ball.

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

Sept.	15	Marianna
	22	Chipley
	24	Mosley
	29	Blountstown
Oct.	1	Bay
	8	Rutherford
	15	Chipley
	20	Rutherford
	22	Blountstown
	27	Bay



Laura Alford, for the second year, has been honored as an All-Conference Volleyball player. Congratulations to her on this outstanding achievement.



VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

Starting the year off by controlling their long time rival, the Chipley Tigers, the Lady Jackets were determined to be a dominating force.

Though the season proved to be a tough one for our Lady Jackets, the girls put a valiant effort toward each game. Coach Merle Bonner and his athletes devoted their time to practice in preparation for the games. The varsity girls' team definitely showed the spirit and pride of the Yellow Jackets.

Angie Cook jumps up to rebound the ball.

Players are: Lee Ann McDonald, Denise Register, Jennifer Jackson, Rashel Coatney, Tanya Galloway, Angie Cook, Tamara Register, Tonya Davis, Laura Alford, and Penny Miner.

T. Davis, J. Jackson, and Coach Bonner watch the game intently.

Above — Tanya Galloway shoots a free throw.

Laura Alford runs to stop the Walton player from scoring and at the top the Lady Jackets fight for the ball.

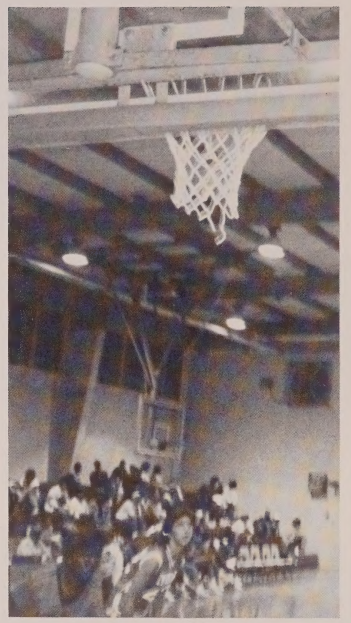
Lee Ann McDonald looks for the open person.

GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

Dec.	7 Chipley	Jan.	22 Cottondale
	10 Ponce de Leon		25 Graceville
	14 Rutherford		28 Chipley
Jan.	4 Rutherford	Feb.	1 Bonifay
	7 Bonifay		4 Walton
	11 Walton		8 Bay High
	14-15 Conference Tourn.		11 Graceville
	18 Cottondale		13 Ponce de Leon
	21 Bay High		19-20 District Tourn.

B-TEAM GIRLS BASKETBALL

The B-Team girls basketball team was a very spirited team that possessed a great desire to win. The team consisted mainly of seventh and eighth grade girls, who faced a tough and challenging schedule. Faced with playing teams bigger and older, the girls demonstrated the desire and team spirit they possessed and gained the needed experience for their future years of basketball.



Karen Peterson shoots for a free throw.

The girls listen as Coach Sexton instucts them.

(L to R) — Selena Siples, Angela Myers, Karen Peterson, Carrie Duty, Nina Haddock, Wendy Jenkins, Dawn Rogers, Kim Adkinson, (Front) Jenny Bonner, Jennifer Register, Tammy Fraser, Nancy Alford, Joan Spence.

B-TEAM BOYS' BASKETBALL

The 1987-88 Boys' B-Team Basketball Team was very young and inexperienced. This youth and inexperience contributed to the inconsistency throughout the season. During the course of the season, each player matured and made great strives of improvement and the team learned how to play together. Teamwork and their good attitude will make this team a winner in the seasons ahead.
Coach Allen

Above — The guys listen as Coach Allen instructs them during a time-out.

Left — The players look for the open spot inside.

Players are: (back row) Coach Allen, Antonio Davis, Darrio Davis, Randy Miles, Nick Kolmetz, Chris Brown, Casey Carter, Greg Andrews, Deilo Brown (front row) Danny Bouton, Daryl Works, Peter Miller, Aachai Nickerson, Jeremy Haddock, James Burke, David Monroe, and Robert Simpson.

VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

The season, getting off to a slow start on our part, made a turn for the better in the exciting game against Bay High. In the climactic game, Brad Hall shot the winning points at the buzzer in the three point range.

Continuing through the season, the mighty Jackets opened a lot of eyes. By defeating such teams as Rutherford and Cottondale, the Jackets proved that they were still strong.

Shedrick Walker, known as "Shed" to most, demonstrated common Jacket pride by winning the free throw contest at the annual Christmas tournament.

Other players remaining strong to the team are Brad Hall, Gary Hewett, Keith Wright, Jason Smith, and Shedrick Conners. The new players this year were Jeffrey Jackson, Paul Reed, Jerry Gipson, and Drexyl Andrews.

Players are (left to right): Jeffrey Jackson, Shedrick Conners, James Bell, Brad Hall, Jason Smith, Jerry Gipson, Drexyl Andrews, Keight Wright, Paul Reed and kneeling is Coach Aaron Todd. Not pictured are Shedrick Walker, Gary Hewett and Greg Andrews.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Dec.	1	Graceville	Jan. 26	Bay
	4	Chipley	29	Chipley
	8	Marianna	Feb. 2	Malone
	11	Blountstown	5	Paxton
	12	Rutherford	6	Bonifay
	15	Bay	9	Bethlehem
28-29		N. Fla. Shootout	12	Blountstown
Jan.	5	Graceville	13	Ponce de Leon
	8	Marianna	16	Walton
	12	Bonifay	19	Walton
	15	Ponce de Leon	20	Bethlehem
	18	Rutherford	26-27	District Tourn.
21-23		PAC Tournament (Graceville)	Mar. 1	Regional Tourn.
			5	Sectional Tourn.

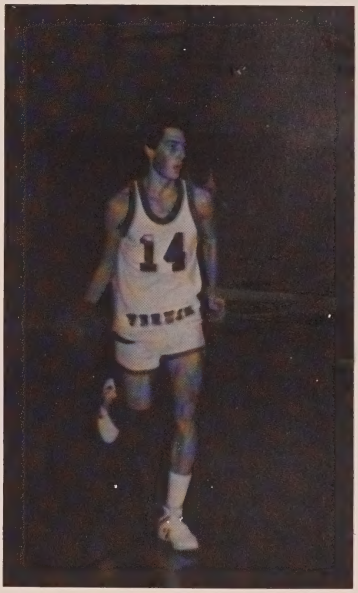
Above, Jerry Gipson puts the ball up for an easy two points.

Above left,Keith takes a "picture perfect" jump shot.

Left, Shed Walker shoots the ball over the opponent for two.

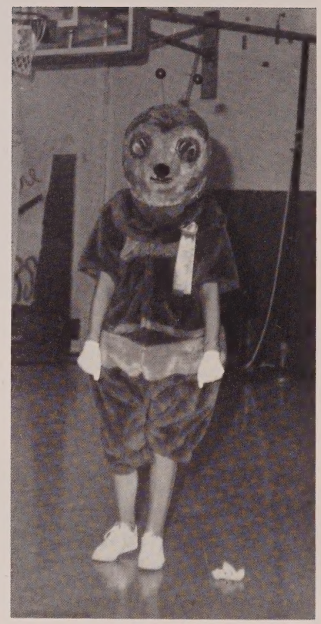
Right, Brad Hall brings the ball down the court to set up the play.

Below, the guys have a break during the game.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

"The Varsity Cheerleaders work very hard to promote school spirit for all sports. They sell spirit ribbons for every football game and occasionally during basketball. This is the first year for our Mascot and we feel that this is an added plus to the school.Each Fall and Spring, the cheerleaders sponsor a clinic for elementary school aged students. In May of each year the cheerleaders sell birthday calendar ads and listings, which helps pay for uniforms and camp. Usually during the year, the cheerleaders sell sweat shirts to help raise money."
Sandra Cook



Our new mascot played a large part in our cheering section during various sports. The funds that were used to purchase the mascot were donated by VHS students and the Athletic Association.

Left to Right: Jennifer Peterson, April Shipes, Jackie Brown, Dawn Rushing, Pat Andrews, Crystal Knight, Cynthia Bland, Wendi Guy, Jennifer Pate.

"I've really enjoyed being a cheerleader at VHS. It was great working with my fellow cheerleaders and Mrs. Cook. I'm going to miss it all when I graduate."

B-TEAM CHEERLEADERS

B-team cheerleaders are (top to bottom): Jennifer Kerr — capt., Summer McKeithen, Mariah Coatney, Joanna Scott, Latrelle Reno, Michele Jenkins — co-capt., Sandy Vaughn, Brandi Bright.

Freshman Mariah Coatney.

BASEBALL

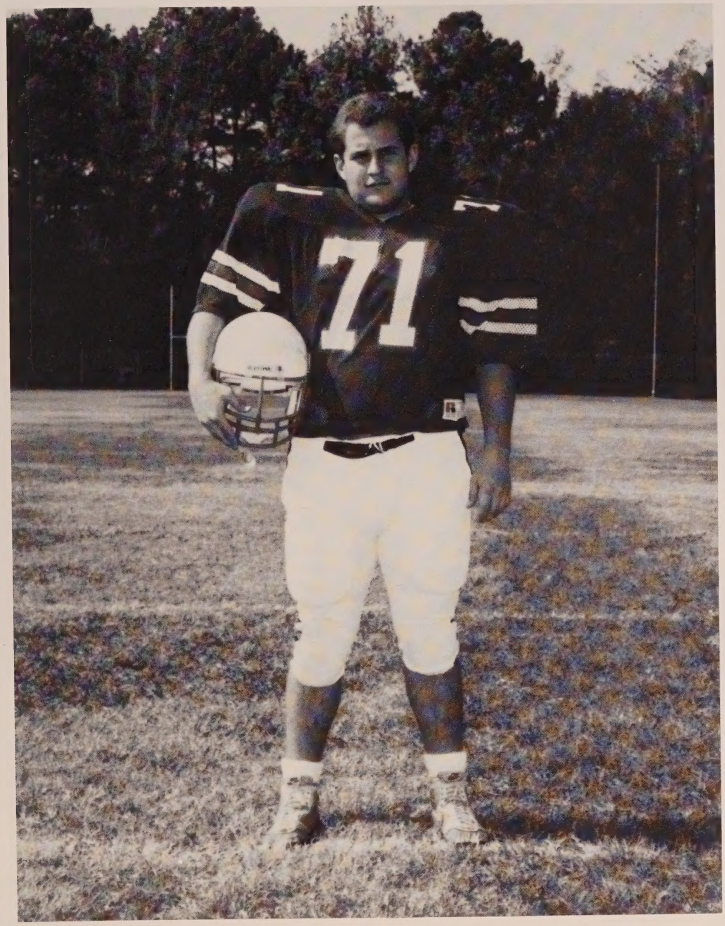
Each year, as winter days begin to disappear and the grass turns green, Vernon High students throw off their jackets and head for the outdoor sports.

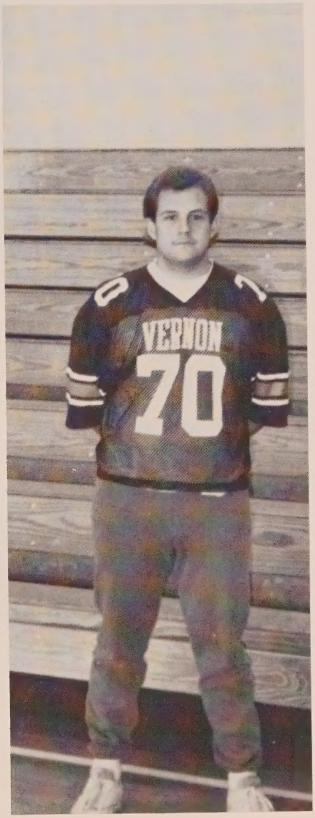
One of the more popular sports is baseball. Vernon, through the years, has had an outstanding baseball team and this year's team was no exception. With eight returning players the Jackets offered a season full of excitement.

Back Row: Clifford Owens, Michael Gilley, Sean Collins, and Mike Watkins. Front Row: Norman Parish, Gary Cook, Wesley Hall, and James Spence.

Senior players are: Michael Gilley and Mike Watkins.

SPOTLIGHT: ALL STATE SELECTION





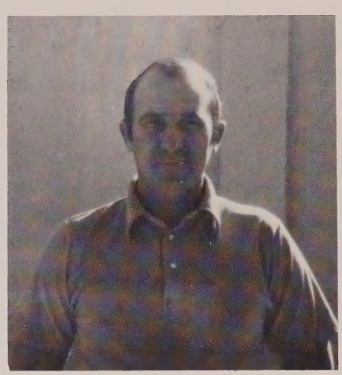
"Jimmy's selection to the 2A All State team is an honor that comes to very few of the hundreds of football players in the state. All of VHS should be proud of Jimmy's accomplishment. This honor was awarded to Jimmy because of his hard work and dedication to be the best that he could be.

All of Jimmy's teammates and coaches extend their congratulations to him for this most deserved honor.

C. Sexton

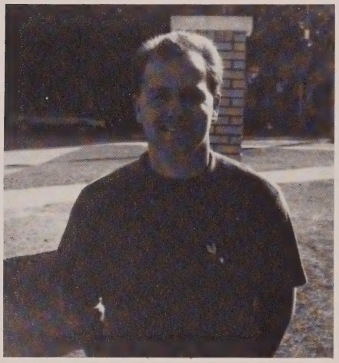
COACHES CORNER

Without our coaches and sponsors, our athletic program would not exist. So in order to show our gratitude, we are dedicating this page to them. Vernon coaches devote their extra time to help our aspiring athletes to become "picture perfect" and we applaud them on a job well done.

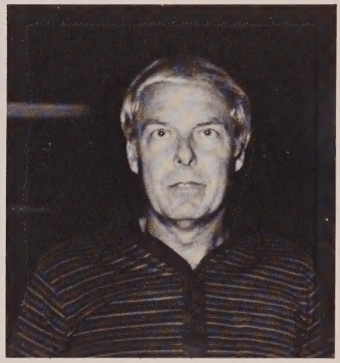


Coach Charles Sexton: Athletic Director, Head Football Coach, Boys Track, and Girls' B-Team Basketball.

Coach Lewis (Mac) Alford: Vernon High School Baseball and Vernon Middle School Football.



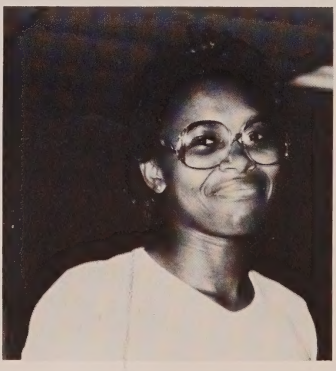
Coach Mark Allen: Assistant Football Coach and Boys' B-Team Basketball.



Coach Aaron Todd: Assistant Football Coach and Boys' Varsity Basketball.

Sandra Cook: Vernon High School Cheerleader Sponsor.

Coach Merle Bonner: Assistant Football Coach and Girls' Varsity Basketball.

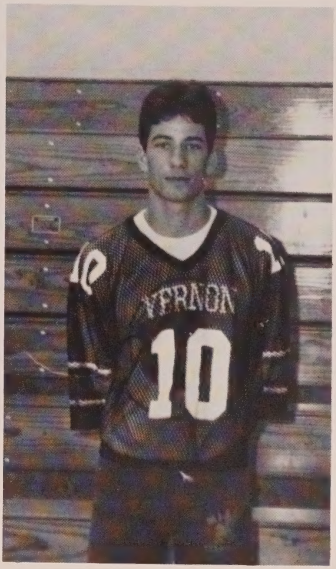


Priscilla Brown: Vernon High School Softball and Vernon Middle School Cheerleader Sponsor.

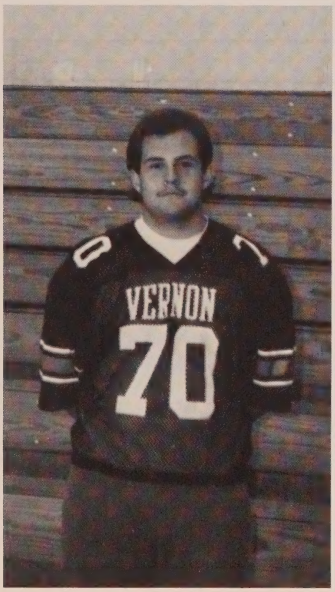
Coach Ivonne Piercy: Varsity and B-Team Volleyball and Girls' Track.

ALL-CONFERENCE AND HONORABLE MENTIONS

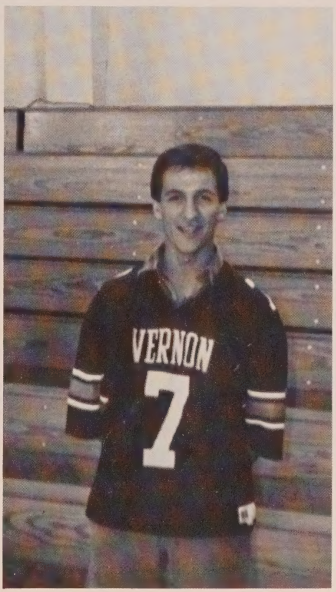
L to R: Drexyl Andrews, Mark Crawford, Dennis Harris, Mike Watkins, Neil Denton, Michael Gilley, Clifford Owens, Jimmy Ingram, and Frankie Morrell.



Senior — Mike Watkins



Senior — Jimmy Ingram



Senior — Michael Gilley

High school football players who make the all-conference team receive this honor because of exceptional skill and ability.

HONORABLE MENTION ALL-CONFERENCE

Sophomore — Drexyl Andrews
Senior — Mike Watkins
Junior — Clifford Owens
Senior — Jimmy Ingram
Junior — Dennis Harris
Senior — Michael Gilley
Senior — Mark Crawford
Senior — Frankie Morrell
Senior — Neil Denton

THE OLYMPICS

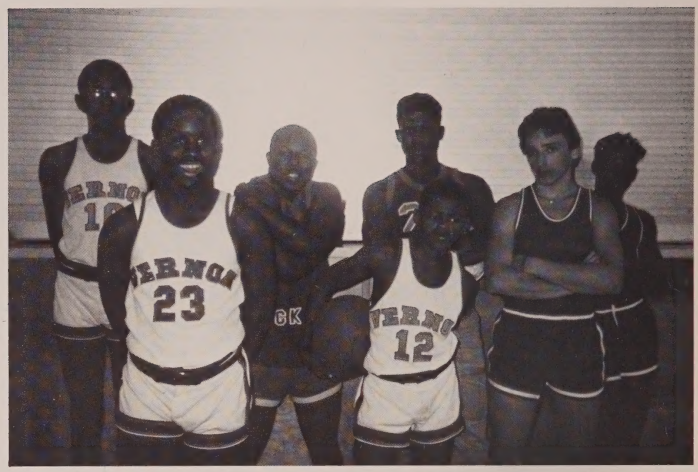
The Special Olympics offers exceptional students the opportunity to participate in the following sports: Basketball, Softball, Soccer, Volleyball, Track and Field, Weightlifting, Tennis, Bowling, Gymnastics, Aquatics, and Equestrian.

Many of the athletes overcome their disabilities and gain the skill and confidence to participate in the regular sports programs.

This year Vernon High School sponsored the Indoor Games, which were Basketball and Bowling.

Our Vernon Olympians have excelled in many of these sports and we are proud of them.

BASKETBALL



Players are: (back row) Kevin Jackson, Keith Edwards, Rod Brown, and Jerome Raffield (front row) Freddie Coleman, Travis Peterson, and James Vickers.

WEIGHTLIFTING

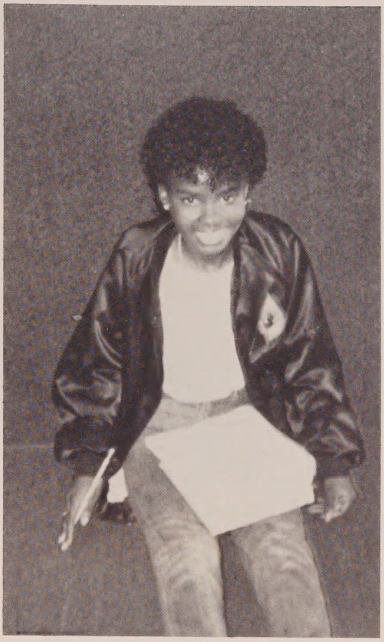
Jerry Waldron, a 1988 Senior at V.H.S., represented the state of Florida at the International Special Olympics.

Back row: Tommy Raffield and John Anderson. Front row: Dale Floyd, Jerry Waldron, and David Bell.

VMS CHEERING SQUAD

Top to Bottom: (co-captain) Tori Batt, Carla Pipkin, Nancy Alford, Christy Vickers, Tasha Peterson, (captain) Tolisha Brown.

Eighth grade cheerleader Carla Pipkin.



Eighth grade cheerleader Tolisha Brown.

The 1987-88 Vernon Middle School Cheerleaders consisted of six girls — four eighth graders and two seventh graders. Though few in number, their efforts were many and their hard work and dedication made Vernon Middle School sports a success. Activities that were enjoyed by these cheerleaders were candy sales, a Christmas party, pizza during games, and a birthday party for Mrs. Tison.

"It has been chaos at times, but I must say I love each of the girls and being a sponsor. We appreciate Mrs. Tison. She has helped us a lot this year." Mrs. P.Brown

JR. VARSITY BASKETBALL

EIGHTH GRADE TEAM

L to R: Trenard Conners, Kerry Brantley, Danny Bouton, James Everett, Kenny Brantley, Larry Nettles, Gerald Hill, and Coach Todd.

The Vernon Middle School Eighth grade basketball team had a very rewarding season. These guys gained experience and valuable playing time, while showing the talent of fine young athletes. They proved to be a great backbone for future Yellow Jackets of Vernon.

JV BASKETBALL

Nov.	1	Roulhac
	5	Graceville
	7	Bonifay
	9	Walton
	12	Graceville
	14	Bonifay
	16	Walton
	19	Roulhac

With the record of 4-4, these young Panthers proved that their age had nothing to do with their ability. Everyone was proud of them and have great expectations for them in the upcoming years.

SEVENTH GRADE TEAM

Members are: D.Davenport, D.Riley, M.Brown, R.Frye, T.Brock, D.Wells, D.Hood, B.Brock, F.McDade, D.Show, Y.Potter, M.Rogers, K.White, G.Gipson, C.Burns, A.Brown, E.Brewer, and Coach Todd.

JR. VARSITY FOOTBALL

Members are: (back row) K.White, M.Rogers, D.Dybdal, B.Sasser, C.Spooner (second row) E.Brewer, P.Cates, K.Finch, G.Hill, J.Peterson (third row) D.Wells, C.Huguley, J.Brock, K.Brantley, s.McGill (front row) M.Duke, D.Hood, K.Brantley, L.Nettles, J.Everett.

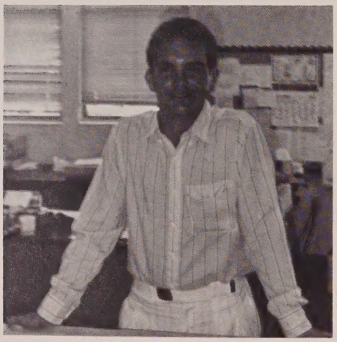
The Vernon Middle School football team was a great success in the 1987 football season. The football team was undefeated except for one game. Crushing such teams as the Bonifay Blue Devils, the Graceville Tigers, and the Freeport Bulldogs, this group of guys opened a lot of eyes and gained a lot of experience needed to pave their way to high school football.

JV FOOTBALL

Sept.	15	Graceville	36-12
	24	Freeport	20-12
	29	Bonifay	22-0
Oct.	6	Freeport	20-12
	13	Chipley	8-24
	20	Bonifay	28-0

BEHIND THE SCENES
IN THE CROWD

When the game is over our athletes must return to the classroom and other responsibilites. We should commend them for successfully representing our school while at the same time concentrating on their academics.

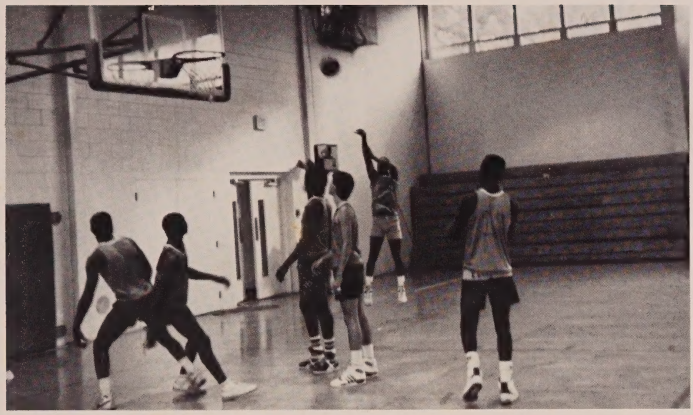


Above — Athletes socializing with their friends.

Left — Gary Hewett poses in the office.

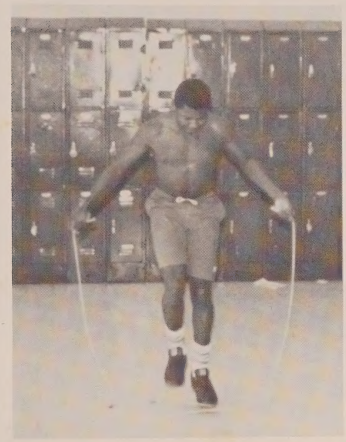
Right — Football players joking around before homecoming game.

Below — Kerry and Trenard smile for the camera.



THE BASICS

Before an athlete can become "Magic Johnson" or "Walter Payton" they must first learn everything there is about their sport, primarily the basics. Vernon is dedicated to teaching the fundamentals in the hope that each athlete will use the knowledge to his or her benefit.



Above — The varsity basketball team practicing the basics of shooting and rebounding.

Left — Shedrick Conners "tries" to demonstrate the art of jumprope.

Right — Shedrick Walker shows off his dunking skills while Keith Wright looks on.

Below — The varsity volleyball team runs a drill on setting the ball.

Now Picture This

PORTRAITS

Seniors 92-107
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Sophomores 112-115
Freshmen 116-119
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Seventh 123-125

THE CLASS OF 1988 IS . . .

Class of 1988 Themes:

Colors ..... Blue and Silver

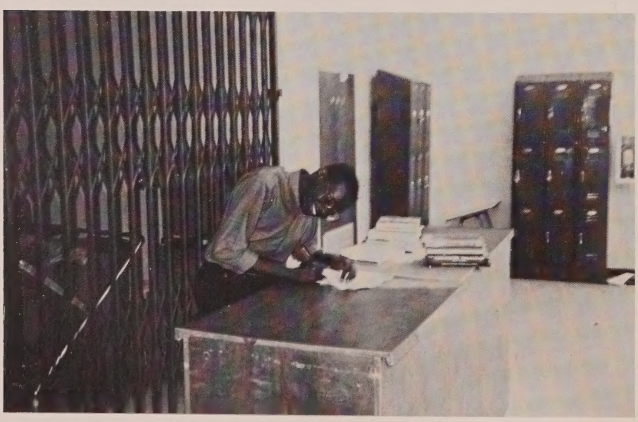
Song ..... "Here I Go Again"

Flower ..... White Rose

Motto ..... Remembering the past, living for the future.

Sponsors: M. Bonner, M. Whitehurst, P. Tharpe, D. Lloyd, H. Tison

K.McLean — V.Pres.;K.Broxton — Pres.; L.Alford — Sec/Treas.



Who's paper are you copying this time, Michael?

ONE TO WIN YOU OVER.

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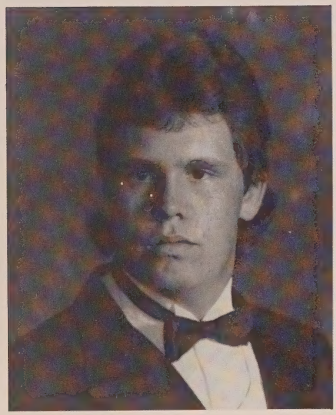
Lena Andrews

Patricia Andrews



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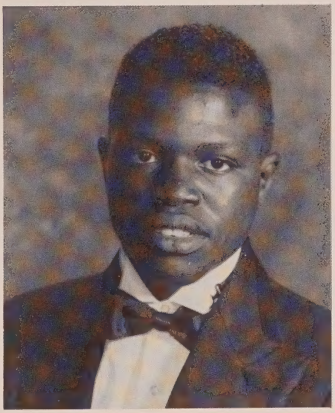

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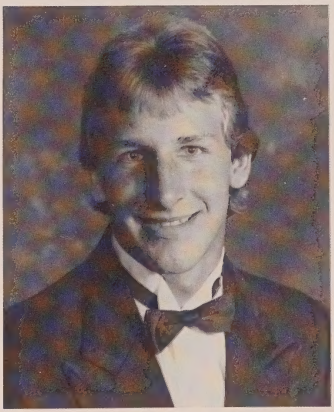
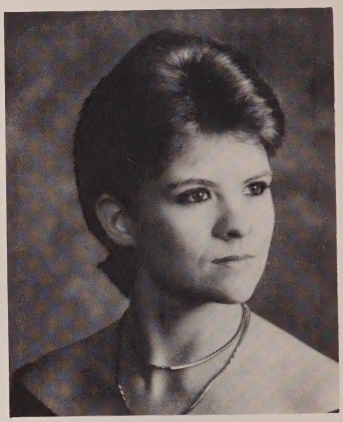


Billy Bishop

Seniors

Cynthia Bland

Aubrey Blount



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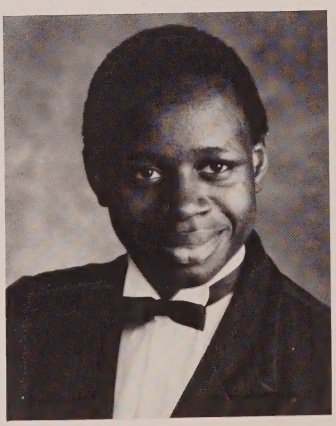

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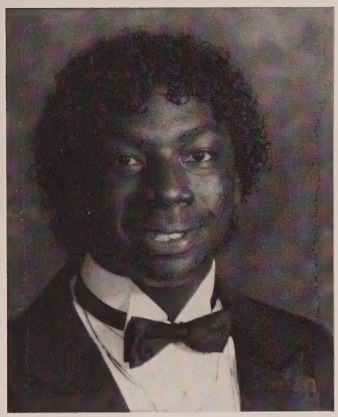

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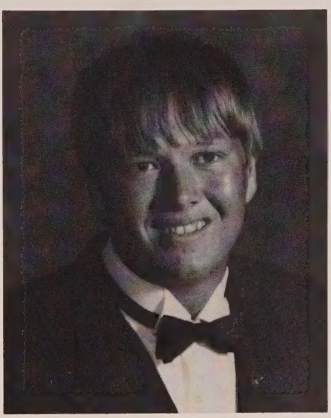

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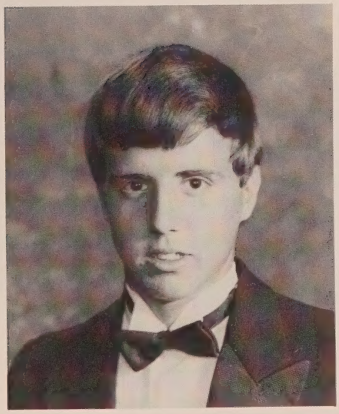

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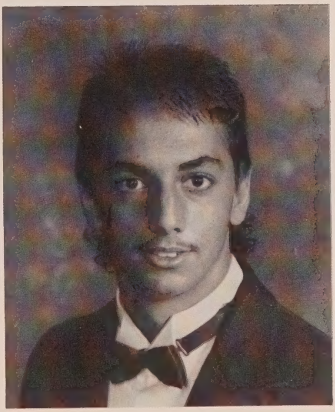

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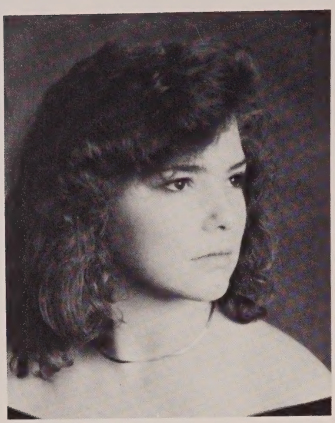

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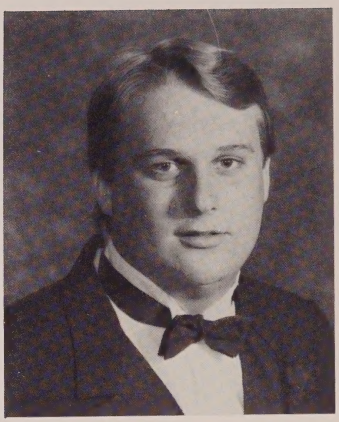

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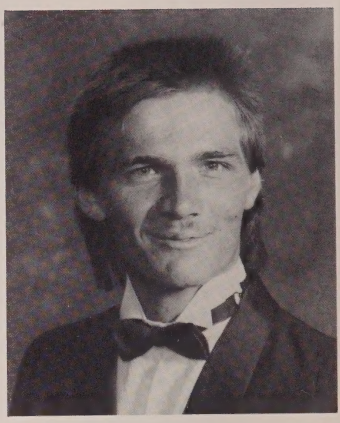

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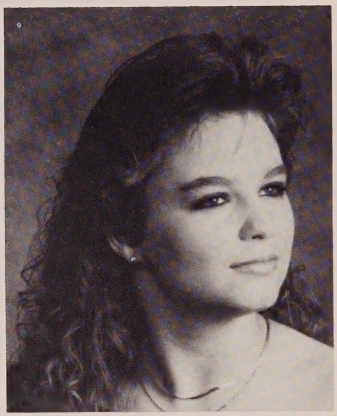
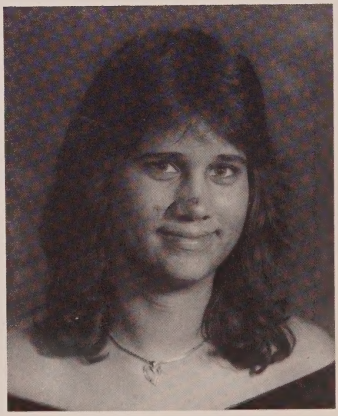


Tammy Dorsey

SENIOR EXPENSES

School pictures	$10
Senior portraits	75
Cap & Gown pictures	50
Graduation pictures	10
Senior shirt	10
Senior stationary	50
Jr./Sr. Prom	120
Cap & Gown	20
Graduation	30
Yearbook	15
Senior Trip	150
Misc. (games,events,etc.)	100
TOTAL = $640	



Tina Eaton

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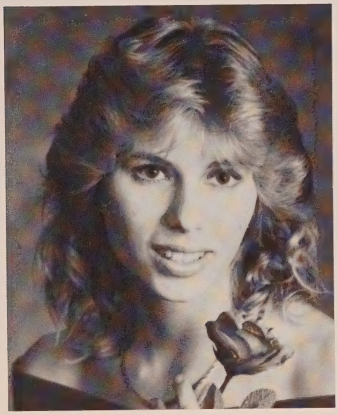
WE FINALLY MADE IT, SENIORS!

Melissa Ferguson

Debbie Fry



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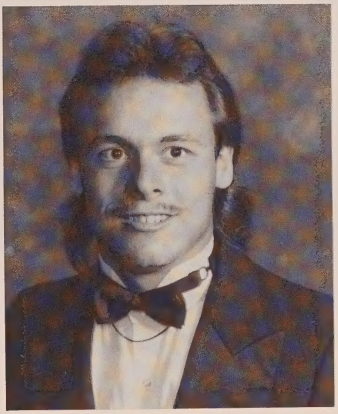

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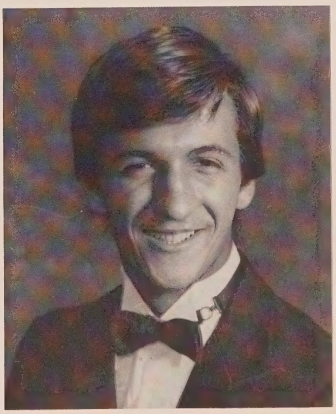

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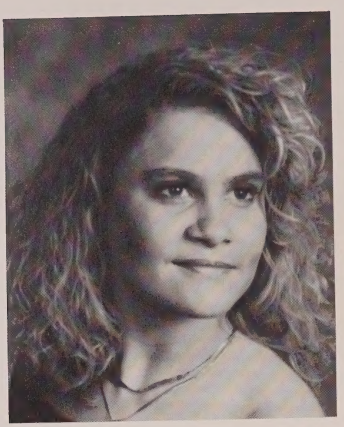

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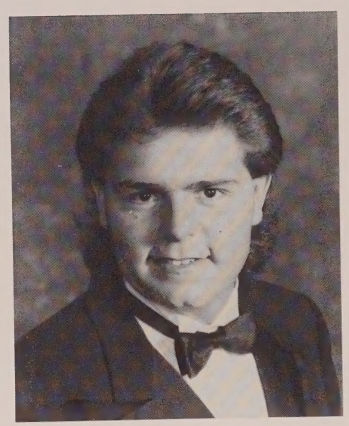

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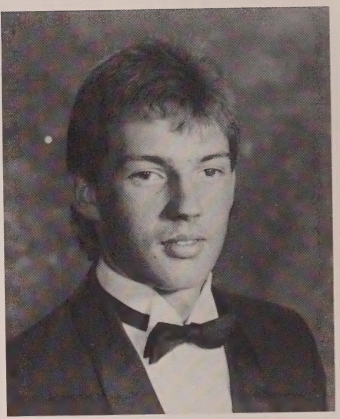

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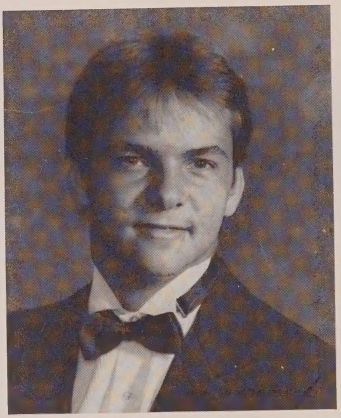

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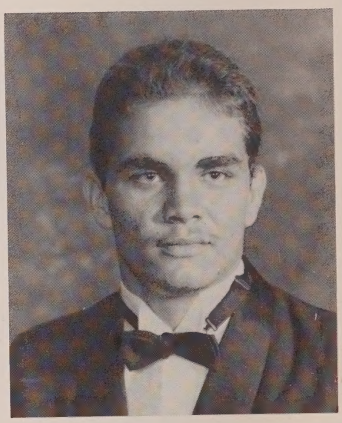

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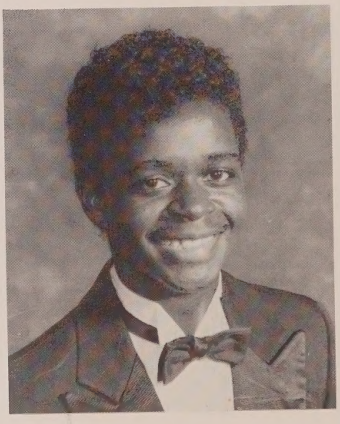

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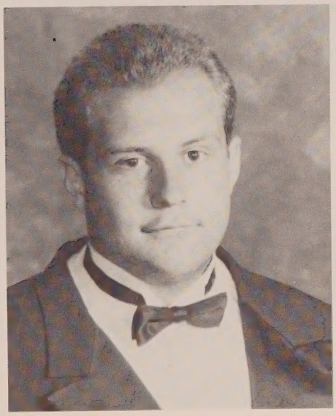

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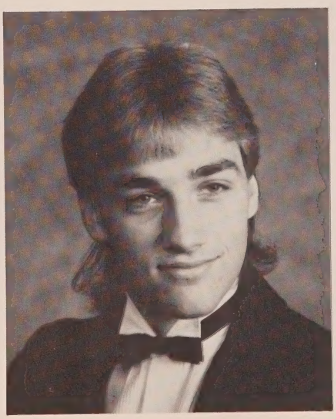

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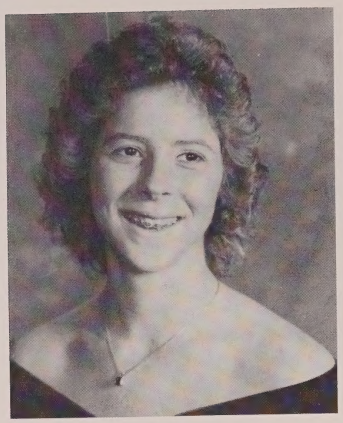

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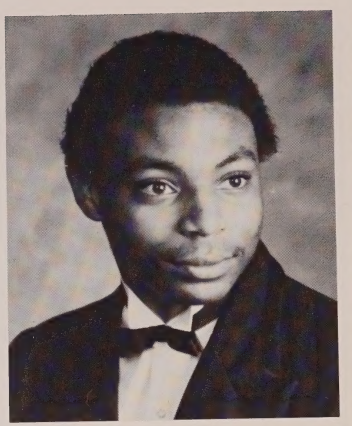

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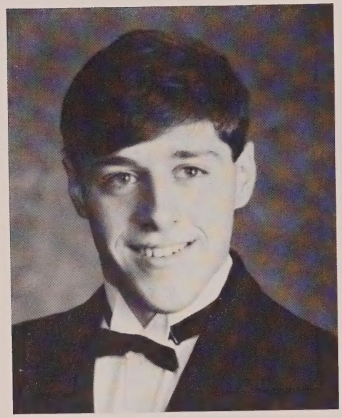

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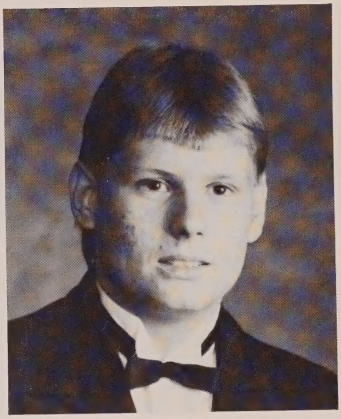

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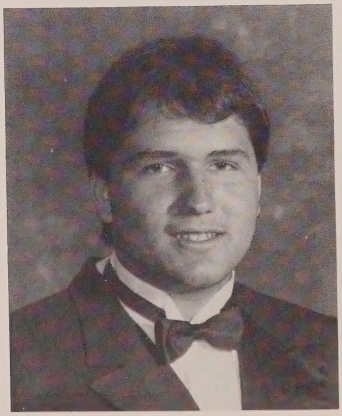

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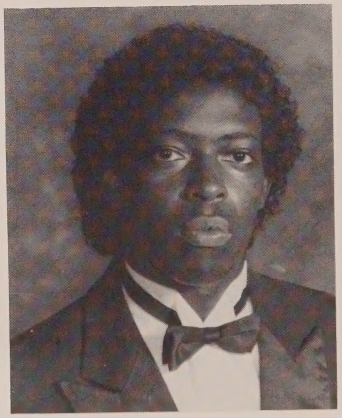

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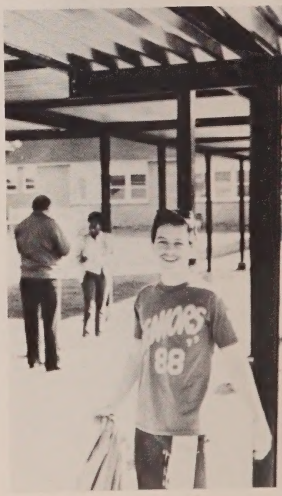

The Seniors of 1988 have finally reached the best year of their school life, struggling through their final exams and fund raising activities. After wining the spirit stick in their Junior year, they won it again in their Senior year proving that the class of '88 is superior to all other classes. The class of 1988 shows great promise for the future.

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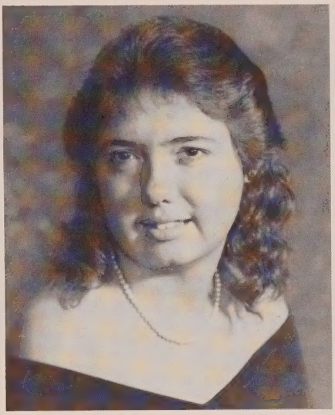

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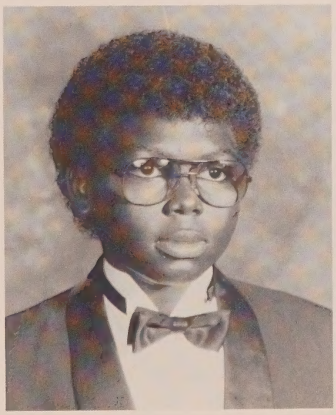

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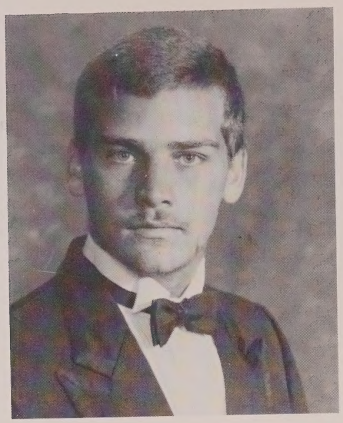

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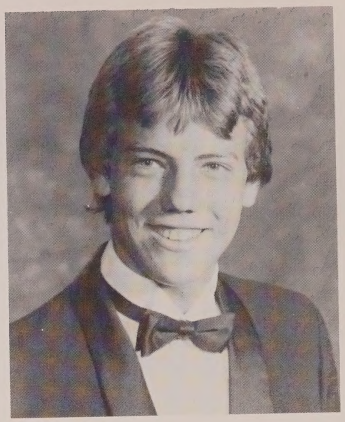

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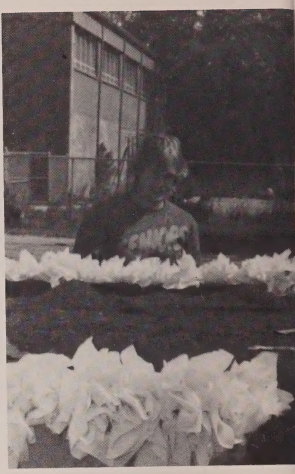

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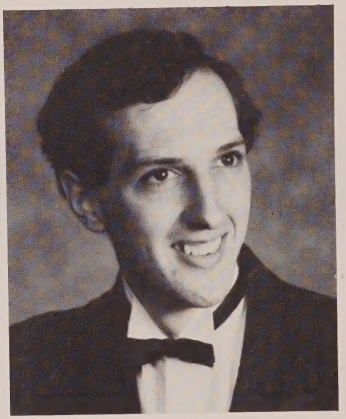

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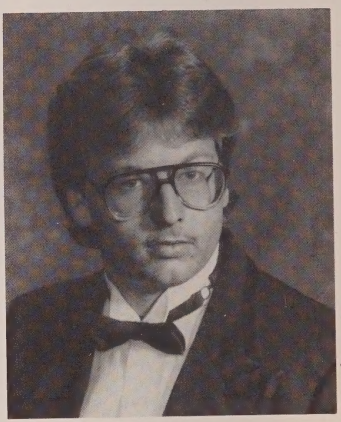

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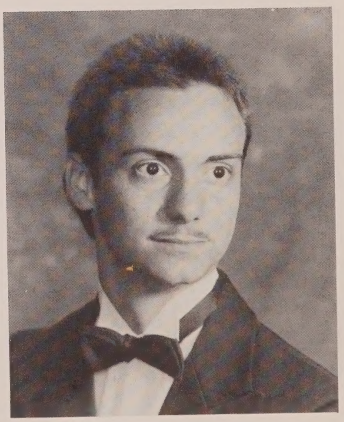

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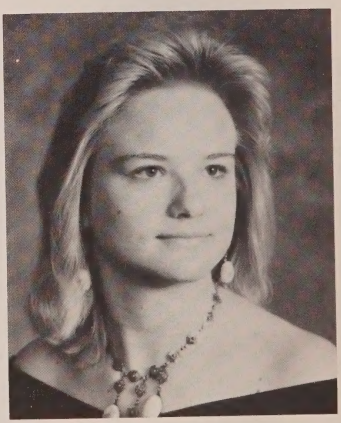

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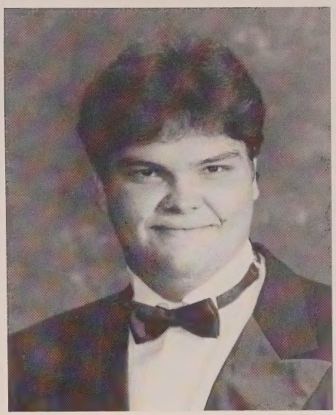

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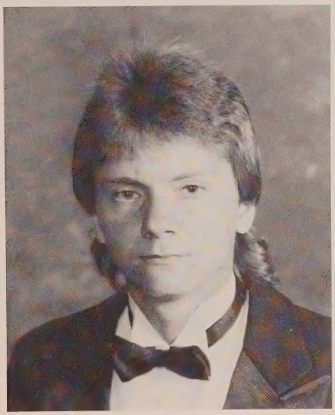

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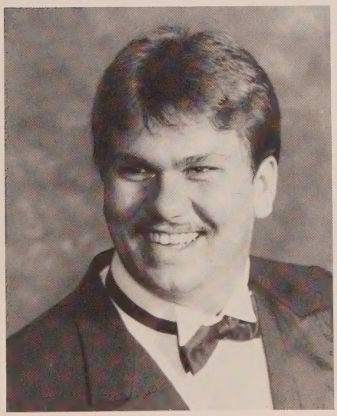

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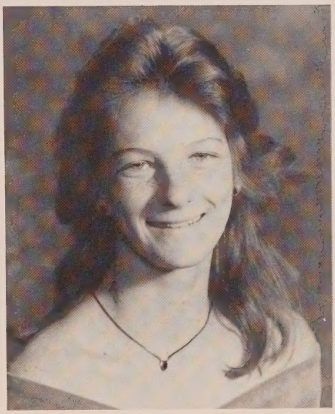

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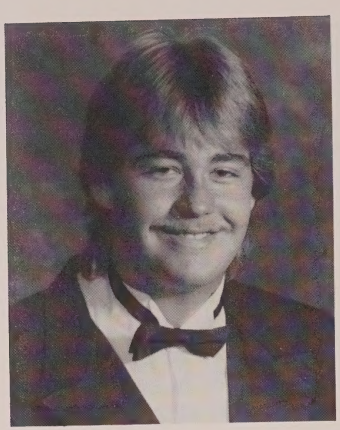

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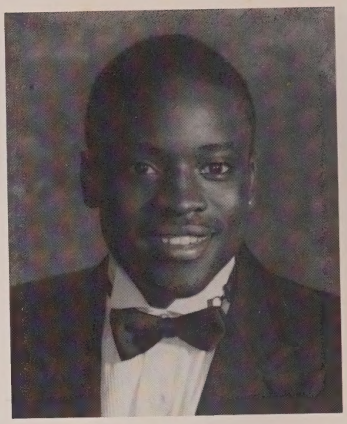

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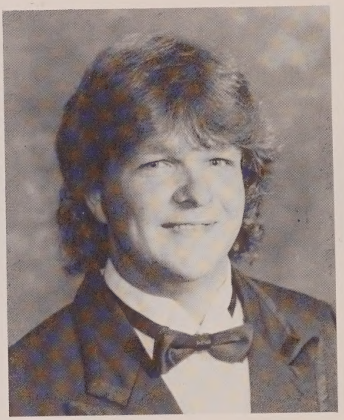

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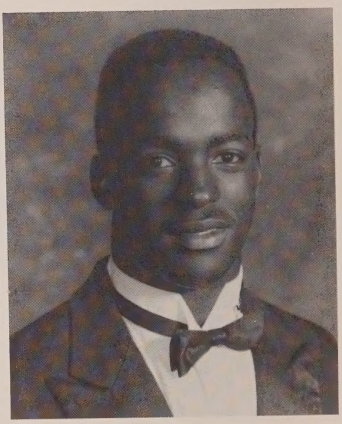

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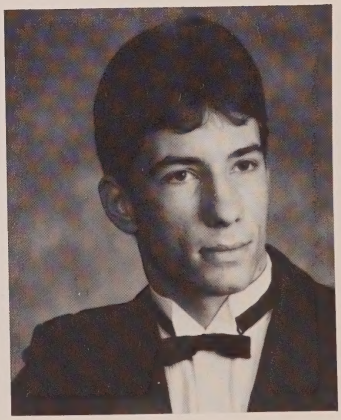

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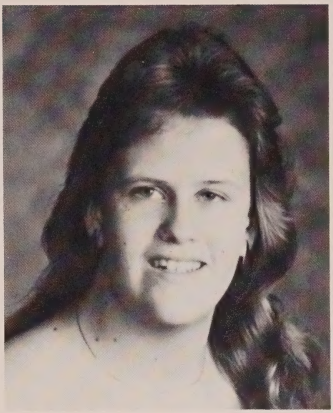
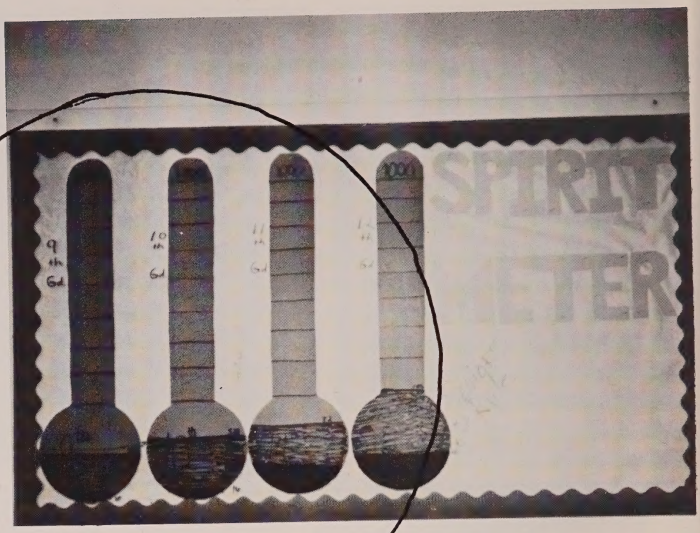


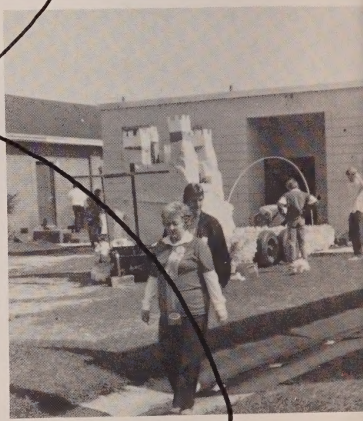
Gennifer Wood

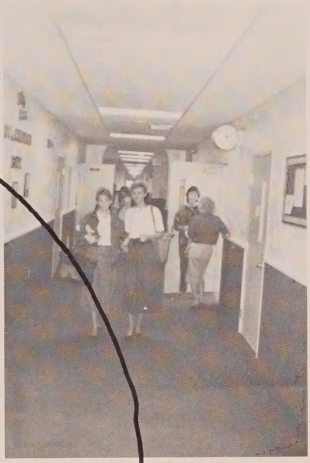
SENIORS

1988

We're Seniors now and we're still
the best,
Defeating underclassmen and
superior to the rest,
We know where we're going and
where we've been,
The Class of 88 rules once again!!
By: Zerry Hogan







JUNIORS

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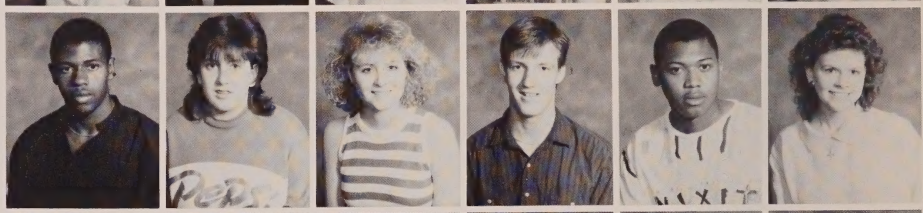
Fredrick Brown

Terence Brown
Tanya Burke
Rashel Coatney
Sean Collins
Shedrick Conners
Angela Cook



Shirley Culbreth
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Renee Doughty
Tammy Edwards
Amy Enfinger

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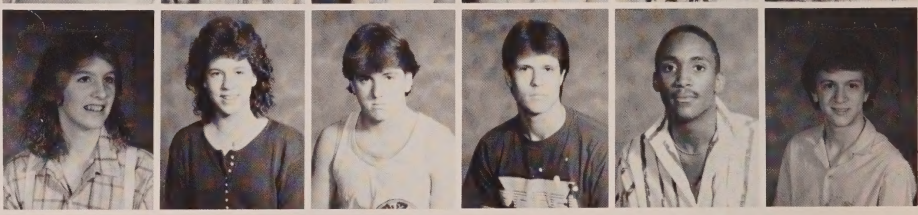
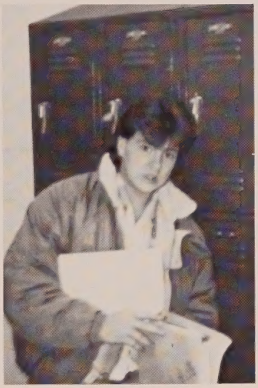
Tanya Galloway
John Garner
Jerry Gipson
David Green
Andy Greene



Vernon High School is filled with uniquely interesting people and the Junior class of 1988 is no exception. They are made up of witty, half-crazy and just plain fun people. Where else can you find students who spend their time after school ice-skating in their refrigerator? The Juniors of 1988 have definitely got the "flash" to make it to the top.



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Melissa Hagan
Wesley Hall

Dennis Harris
Jerry Harrison
Landon
Hathaway
Stanley Hewett

Steven Hodges
Jeffrey Jackson
John Jackson
Melanie Jackson
Kathy Johns
Terry Josey

Crystal Knight
Steven Lassiter
Terresa Martin
Melissa Maxwell

Randy
McKeithen
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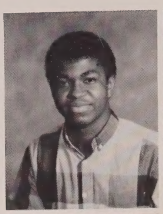

Class

Officers

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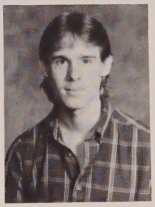
Satterfield
Kyle Shaw
David Shelley



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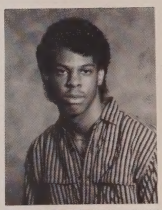
Shepard
April Shipes
Jason Smith



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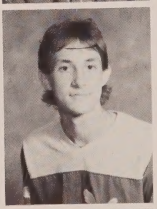
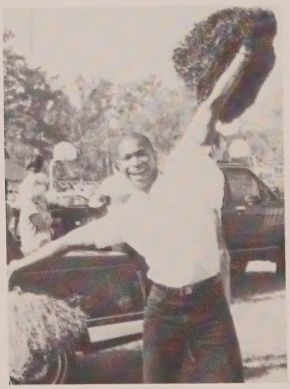
Carrie Walker

Alice Walters
John Warren
Michael Wood

Bill Wright





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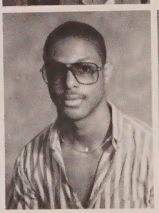
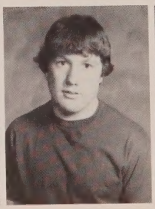
David Yarbor
Doug Yates





Guess Who?

It has been said that nicknames reflect personality. If this is true then the Juniors of 1988 are certainly not lacking in either. Almost everyone in the class has a nickname of some sort and the ones below are just a few. See if you can match the name with the nickname.

1. Rhonda Riley	A) Gee'fer
2. John Jackson	B) Coon
3. Michelle Satterfield	C) Terri
4. Jennifer Shepard	D) Squenchy
5. Vanessa Davis	E) Nay-Nay
6. Tracey Brunson	F) Shellcracker
7. Clifford Owens	G) Smallfry
8. Jennifer Pate	H) Punkin
9. Melissa Maxwell	I) Dawn-Ger
10. Randy McKeithen	J) Mole
11. Terresa Martin	K) Mickey
12. David Yarbor	L) Bundy
13. Dawn Rushing	M) Jay
14. Ed Mike	N) Rook
15. Kathy Johns	O) Yard Bird
16. Keith Wright	P) Duck
17. Shedrick Conners	Q) Flame
18. Angie Cook	R) Sceiter
19. Anita Hagan	S) Nukie
20. Renee Doughty	T) Cookie

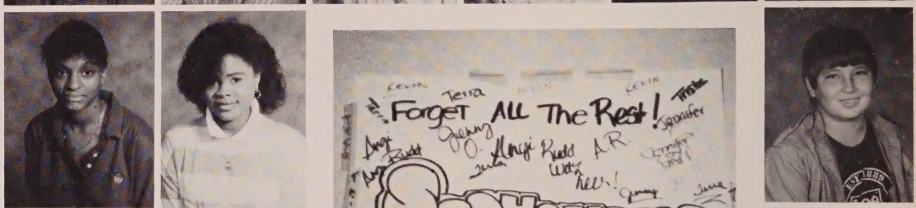
Answers: 1. h; 2. m; 3. f; 4. g; 5. s; 6. b; 7. l; 8. a; 9. k; 10. j; 11. c; 12. o; 13. i; 14. q; 15. d; 16. p; 17. n; 18. t; 19. r; 20. e.

SOPHOMORES

Drexyl Andrews
Mark Armstrong
Niki Armstrong
Angela Bell
Jon Biggs
Michael Birge

Lee Boyett
Shawna Boyett
John Bradshaw
Paula Brown
Roderick Brown
Sabrinia Brown

Sonji Brown
Tammy Broxton
Larry Bruner



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Chad Burns

LaShay Bush
Cindy Carroll
Jennifer Chase
Arthur Cheverie
Wilford Collins
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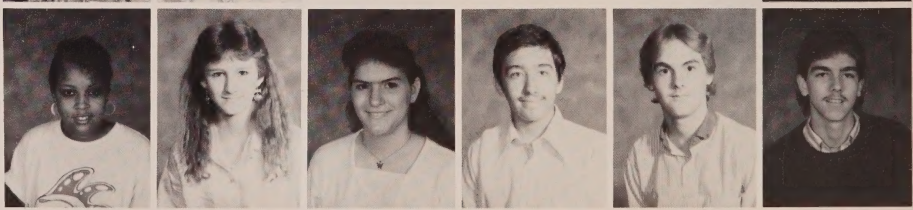
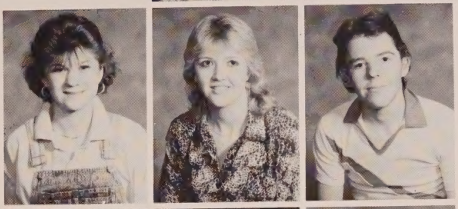


First Place

Float

Kelt Cooper
Tonya Davis



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Dale Floyd

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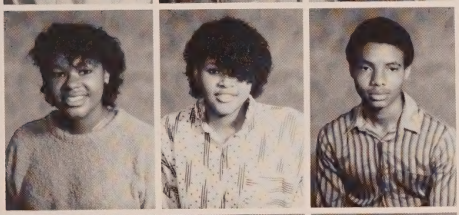

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Twan Jackson
Willie Jackson
Jennifer Kerr

Toni Lael
L'Tonya
McDonald
LeeAnn
McDonald
Trisha McLean

Peter Miller
Holli Mitchell
Donny Moore
Anthony Morris

Jill Morris
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Rena Padgett

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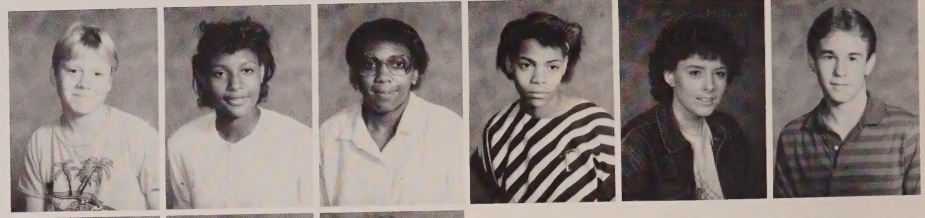
Kim Pettis
Eric Pettis



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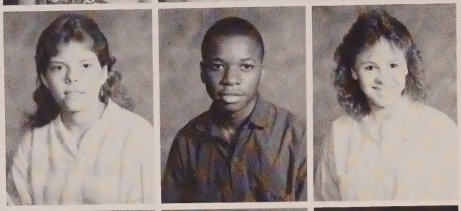
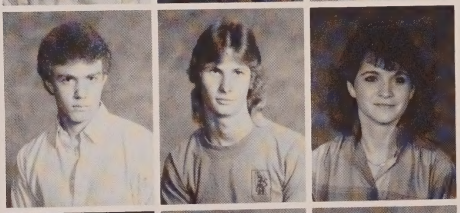


Holli Mitchell Homecoming Attendant

Quniton Riley
Pud Riley
Rhonda Riley



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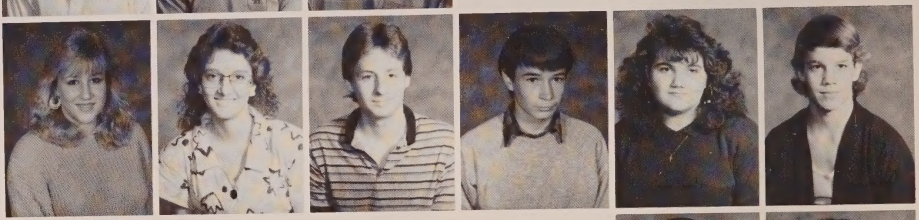

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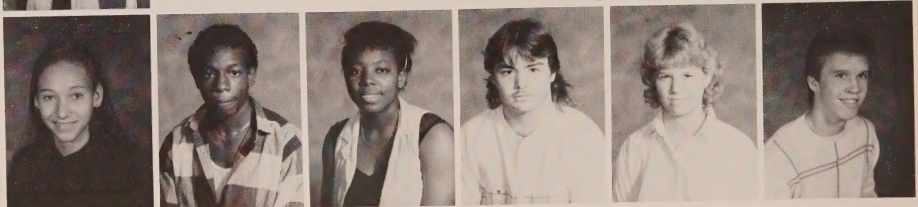

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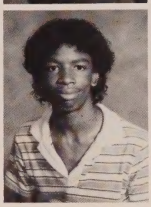


Malisswa Wells
Ryan White
John Works
John Worthington
Charles Young

LIGHTS ... CAMERA ... ACTION!

What is your favorite T.V. show?

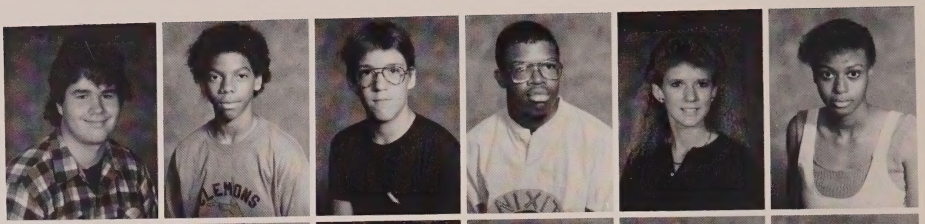
If you said "Tour of Duty" you are not alone. The majority of the students in the sophomore class chose "Tour of Duty" as their favorite show. The next most popular show was "The Cosby Show," followed by "Moonlighting," "Wise Guy," and "Knot's Landing" all vying for third place.

Many shows had only one vote, such as "Houston Knights," "A Different World," and "Matlock." The most unusual choice was "Outdoors With Red," voted on by Jamie Holley.

Why did they choose the shows they did? Angie Rudd chose "Knot's Landing" "because of Abby Ewing. She knows what she is doing, she has total control over men, and she is rich!" Jenny Owens chose "Growing Pains" "because it makes me laugh and it makes me cry."

People have many reasons for watching the shows they do. So next time someone asks you what your favorite show is, think about why you like it so.

John Anderson
Alexis Andrews
Brian Andrews
Greg Andrews
Whitney Barfield
Barbara Bell



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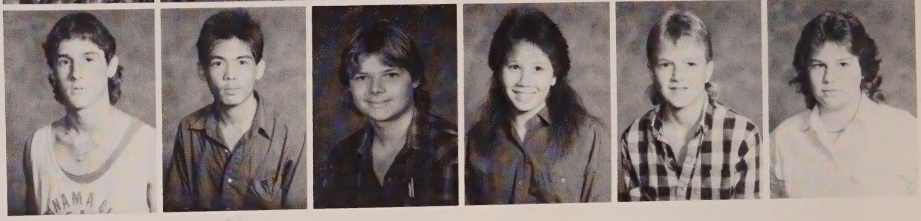
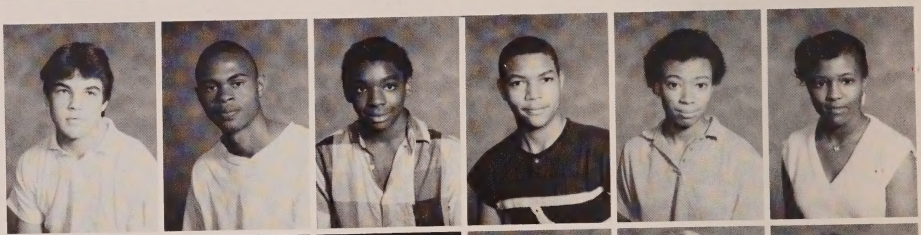


FRESHMEN

Terry Brock
Christopher Brown
Deilo Brown
Demetris Brown
Regina Broxton
Sheila Brunson



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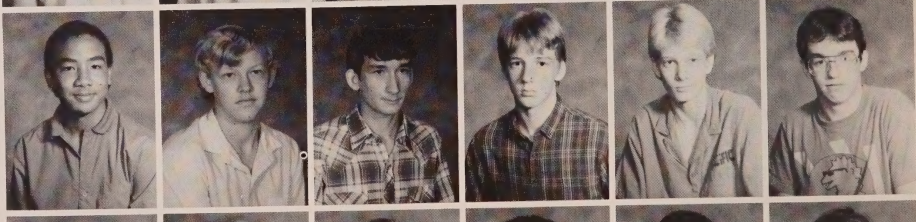
Greg Bush
Mark Bush
Casey Carter
Kyle Chesnut



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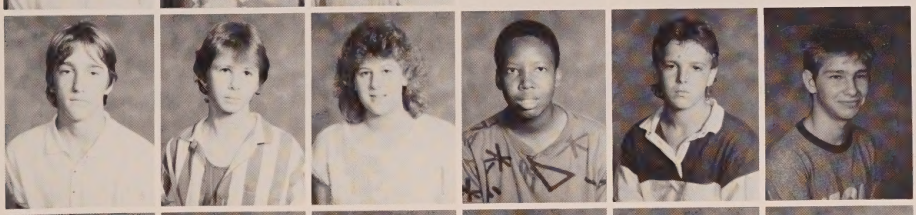

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Neal Fraser
Kerri Goodwin
Harold Green
Jeremy Haddock
John Hall

Ann Hammock
Greg Harcus
Steven Harcus
JoAnn Harris
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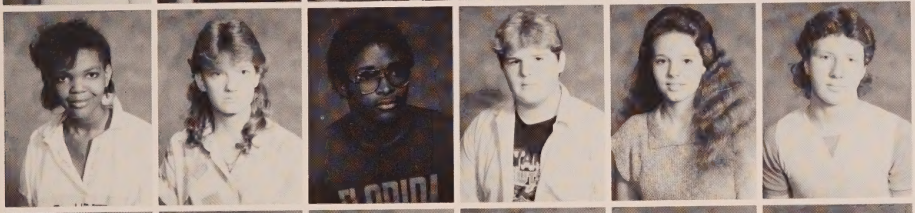

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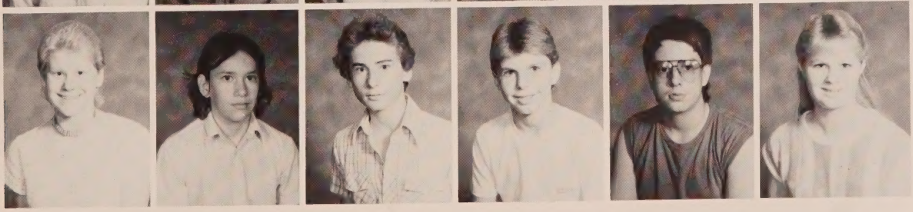

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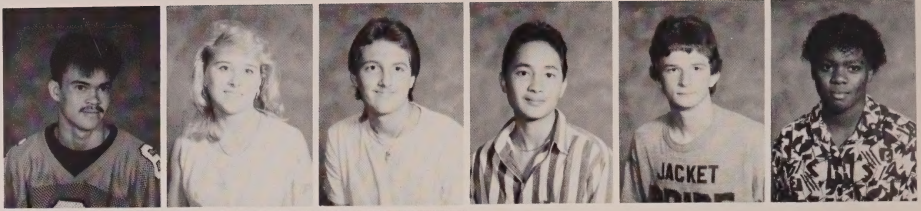

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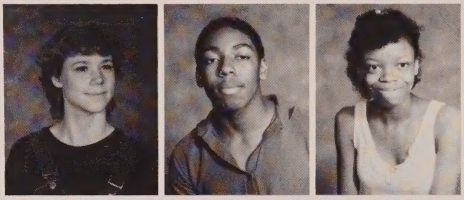

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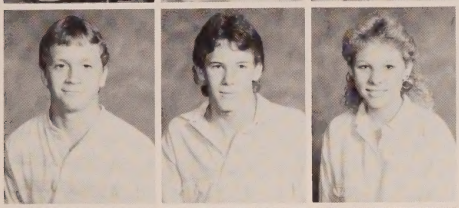

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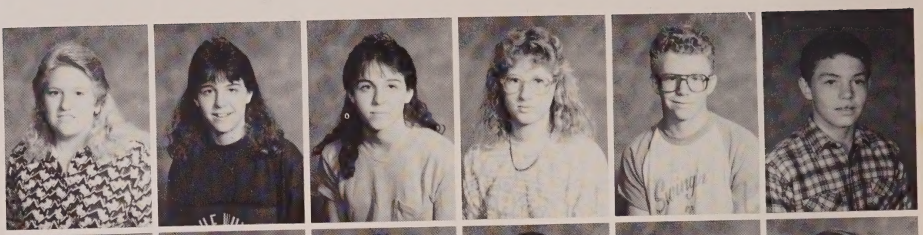

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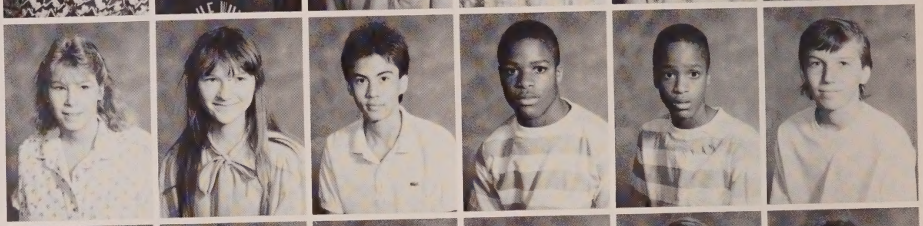

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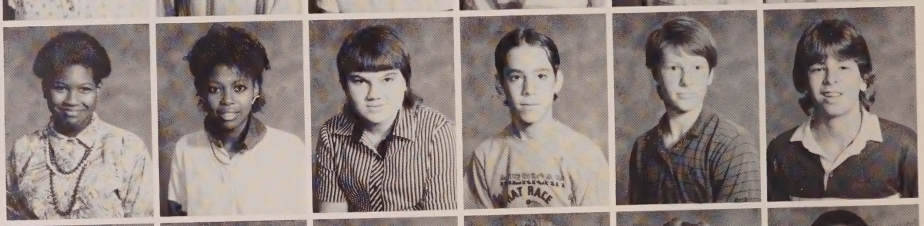

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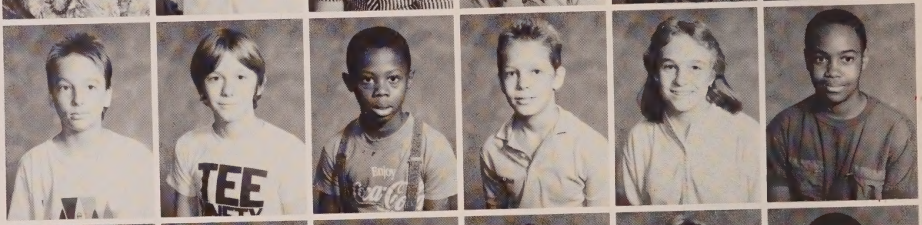

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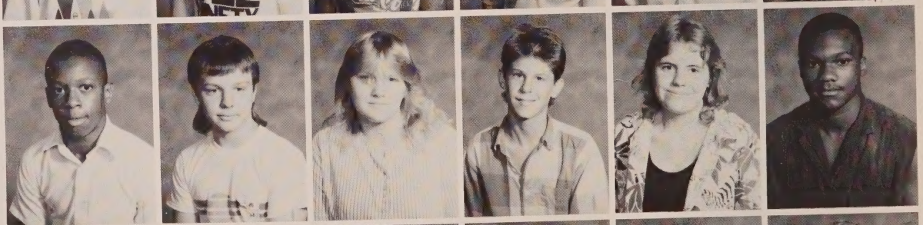

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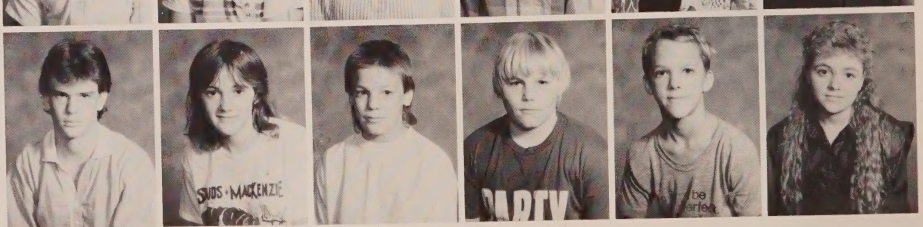

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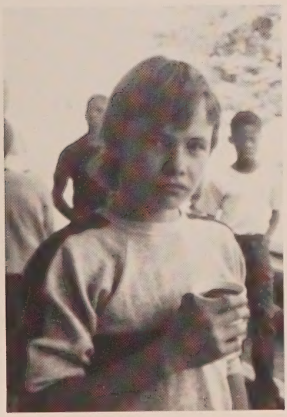

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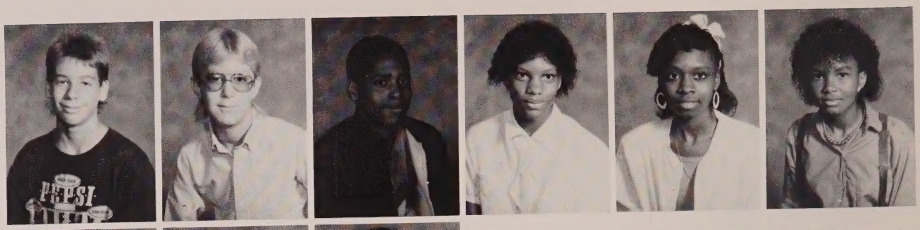

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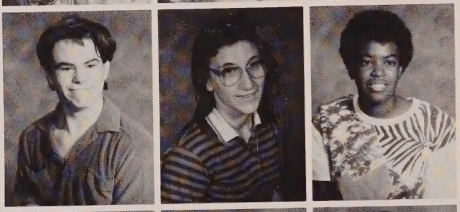

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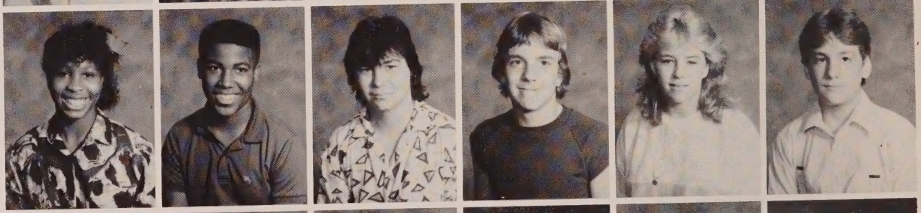

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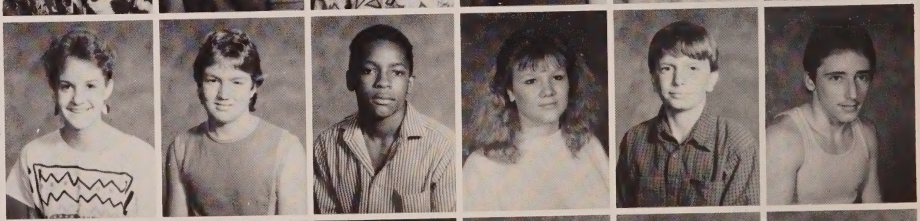

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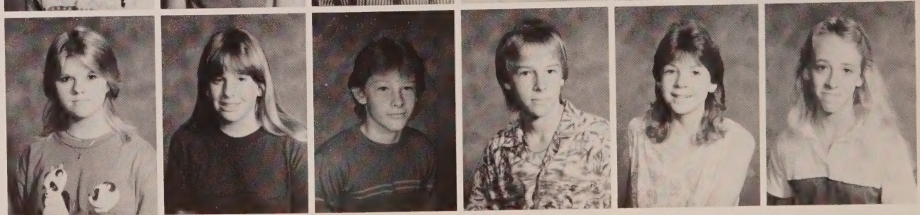

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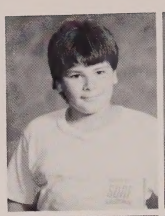

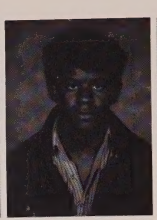

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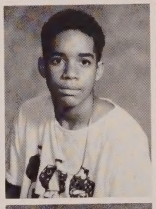
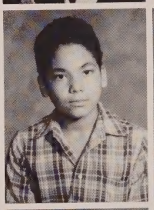
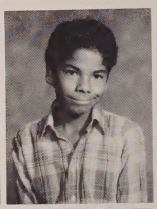

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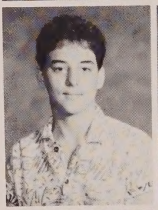

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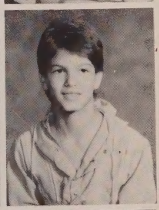

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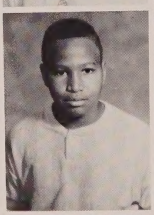

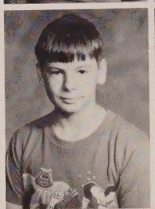
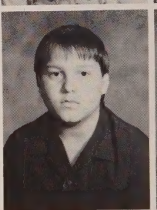

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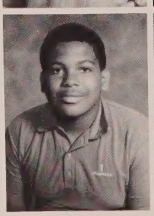
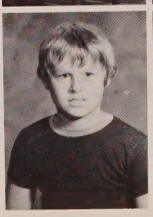

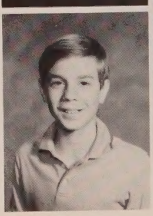

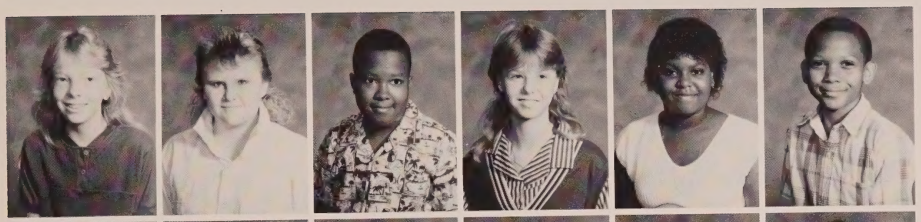

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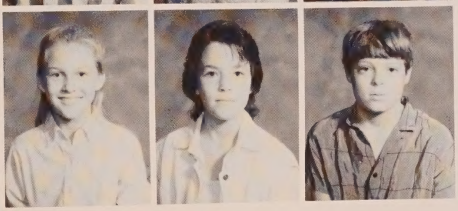

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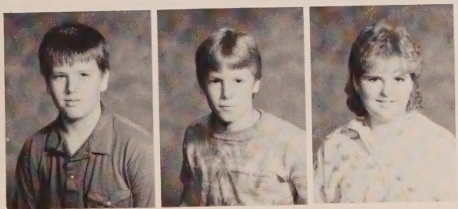

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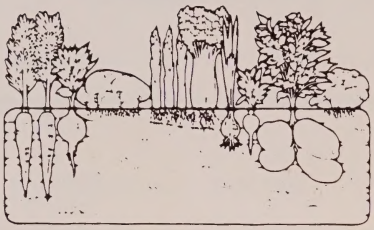

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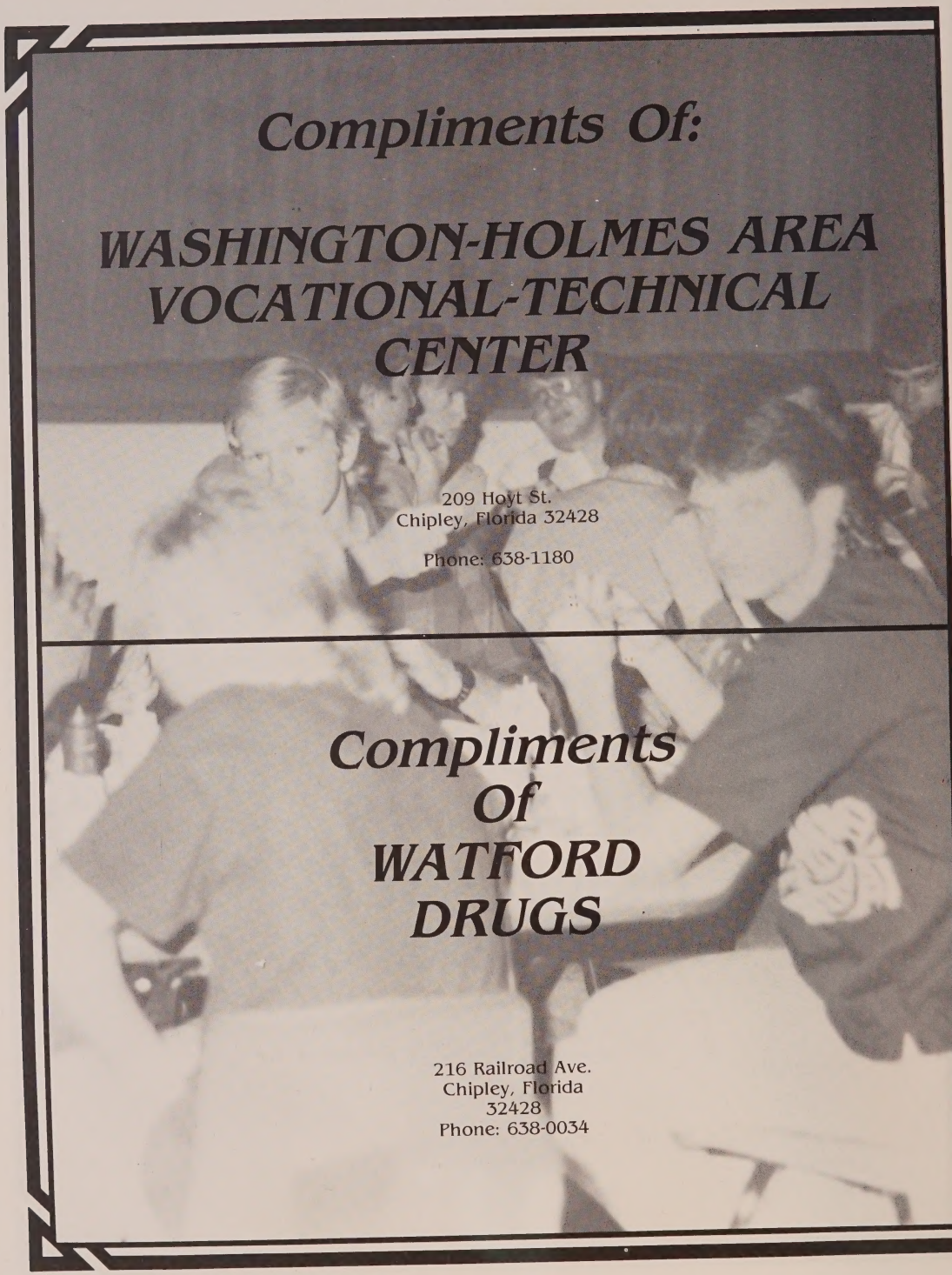

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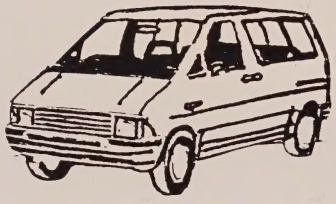

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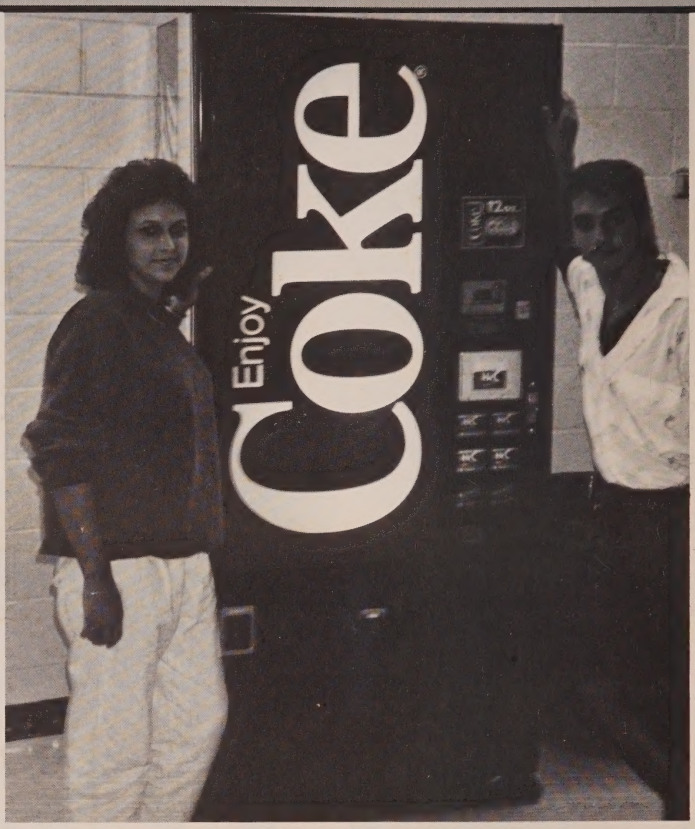
Kathleen McLean and Frank Cianelli show off the new Coke machine, holding fruit drinks, that was placed in the lobby of the cafetorium for student use.



Angela Cook holds the "Head of the Class" used on the Juniors' Homecoming float.

Zerry Hogan says bye to VHS while Laura Alford helps Michael Brown in the computer lab.

IN CLOSING . . .

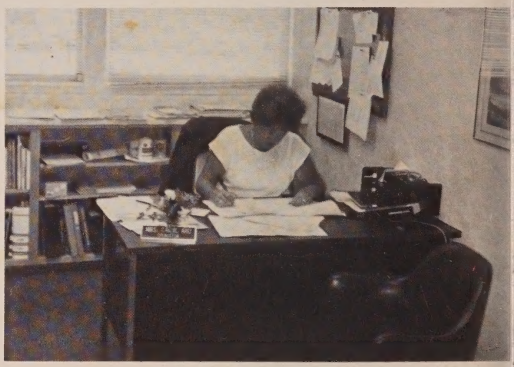
Now picture this: it's the end of the day on the last day of school. Over the summer and through the years, those students and faculty members present during the 1987-88 school year will hold memories of "the way it was." Several changes occurred this past school term. A Coke machine dispensing fruit drinks was placed in the cafetorium for students to use during lunch. Another change for the better was the renovation of the lockers. No more will students have to contend with sagging, broken locker doors. They were repaired and painted blue in October of the school year and still look brand new! A minor change was the moving of the computer lab to room four in the math department wing.

It was a full year with numerous activities for the students to participate in. To the seniors we bid a fond farewell and wish for them all success, just as they and the rest of the Vernon students have made the 1987-88 year a success.

Minda Haddock and Melissa Hagan enjoy chicken dinners from Evans'.

Kathleen McLean and Sonia Sadauskas put in some long hours working on the 1988 Jacket Buzz yearbook.

A familiar sight for most Vernon students.



Mrs. Ard slaving over next year's schedules.

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Sean Collins at work in the library.